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GOVERNOR DENEEN TOLD OF LORIMER

Illinois Executive Denies He Assisted in Election of Senator.

TALKS MUCH ABOUT HINES

Declared That Wealthy Lumberman Made False Statements in Regard to Him Before Investigating Committee.

Washington, July 13. — Governor Charles S. Deneen, of Illinois, today furnished a field day in the Lorimer election investigation by the Senate Special Committee. He declared that he did not assist in the election of Senator Lorimer, as some of the Senator's friends claimed, but fought against it to the last. He flatly contradicted the version which Edward Hinez, a Chicago lumberman, who is charged with having asked for a Lorimer election fund contribution, gave of the famous tlephone conversation between the two on the day Senator Lorimer was elected, May 26, 1909.

Hines had testified he (Hines) telephoned from Chicago to Deneen that he (had just come in this morning from Washington, and was on my way to Springfield to bring the message to you Deneen) from Senator Aldrich and the President, urging upon you to do all you possibly can to assist in the election of a senator at the earliest possible moment, and "that they understood that Lorimer could be elected if you will assist." Further, Mr. Hines, testified that he understood Deneen to say he would assist in Lorimer's election and would see Lorimer in ten minutes.

Governor Deneen testified today that Hines asked him if he received a report from the President in reference to Lorimer. He said Taft had sent a message to support Lorimer.

"I asked him," continued Governor Deneen, "if he had the message and he answered 'No.' He said that the President had sent it and that he had intended to come to Sprinfield himself, but had missed the train by five minutes.

"I asked him if President Taft, sent that message, for I thought it strange for the President to tell me that. He said why he sent it through Senator Aldrich—of course, he would not send it to you directly—who would communicate to you through George Reynolds, of the Continental Bank. I said, 'very well.'"

"Did you receive a communication from Senator Aldrich, or Mr. Reynolds?" asked Attorney J. J. Healy, who was conducting the examination for the committee.

"No, Sir."

Gov. Deneen denied Mr. Hines' version of the conversation in regard to the identity of Hines on this occasion, and added that he was not certain that it was Hines talking, but regarded the talk just as he would an anonymous communication.

"Did you tell Mr. Hines that you would assist Mr. Lorimer?" asked Mr. Healy.

"I did not."

"Did you tell him you would see Lorimer?"

"I did not"

Governor Deneen said that he had talked with President Taft later about the incident, but he declined to give the conversations unless the President was to be called as a witness.

In denying that he at any time assisted in Lorimer's election, Gov. Deneen testified that the night before the election he had attended a conference in which he tried to hold members in line for Hopkins. After the election, he told of Senator Lorimer coming to him and asking that he "wipe off the slate," in the interest of Republican harmony in the State. The witness swore that Senator Lorimer said he intended to see Editor Hinman, of the Chicago Inter-Ocean, and Speaker Shurtleff, of the Illinois House, and have them agree to harmony also.

The Governor declared the first time he ever heard about a proposed expose of corruption in the Legislature was in August or September 1909, when Edwin R. Wright, chairman of the Federation of Labor in Illinois, told him that a member of the Legislature proposed to tell all about it in a book or magazine article. He denied any part in the preparation of White's staement.

Gov. Deneen discussed the "Jack-Pot," or general corruption fund, which he said was reputed to have been divided after each Legislature, to those who voted "right," during the session.

"Are you willing to stake your reputation as Governor on there having been a jack-pot in the Legislature?" inquired Senator Kenyon.

"I think anyone would be safe in doing that."

At this point the committee adjourned until tomorrow when Gov. Deneed again will be on the stand.

New Orleans, July 13.—Ninteen homing pigeons of the Patterson Homing Pigeon Club, of Baltimore, were released on the roof of an office building here today and sailed off in a northwesterly direction instead of toward their home station. On the leg of each bird is a number and the club's name. They are expected to reach home by Friday afternoon.

SCORES PROBABLY PERISHED

Oscoda Fire Chief Describes Terrible Tragedy in Fire-swept Town—High Winds Caused the Blaze to Spread.

Detroit, July 13.—Eugene A. Thompson, Oscoda business man and fire chief, who last night brought a party of refugees to Detroit, from the burned towns of Au Sable and Oscoda, furnished the first connected story which has come out of the fire-swept district.

"The first serious fire in the outskirts of the town was discovered on Sunday, and a crew fought it until er control," he said. "Monday nothing was done, and on Tuesday, aided by high winds, it burst out again with great fury.

"The first alarm in Oscoda came in at 3 o'clock from private house. President Cowley and myself procured pails from the Loud company's office to fight the flames that had spread to the Catholic cemetery. The next alarm came in from the Au Sable township slab piles. Just about the time the hose was working well we got an alarm from the village of Oscoda. The first to go was the Oscoda and Au Sable canning factory, and in a few minutes the fire was general, breaking out north, east, south and west all at once.

Scores Unable to Escape.

"Our equipment of three hose carts and thirty-six volunteers fought for ar hour and a half with a good water supply. Then the flames reached the pumping station, and it went out of commission. A few inhabitants, among them myself and my father and mother, went to the steamer Niko, Capt. Meyers, which was lying at my own lock. When we left the dock between 200 and 300 people were on it, thirty of them were nursing children, cut off from shore, with the tramway overhead afire. There was no escape for them unless they jumped into the water. I saw Peter Duval struggle down the tramway with his aged father-in-law on his back, but the flames forced him back and I can not tell whether he was saved. I saw a woman with two children in her arms rush out on the dock. One of the children fell into the water and a young man jumped in after it and rescued it.

Flames Fanned by High Winds.

"When the fire started the wind was blowing about fifty miles an hour from the southwest. Then it shifted to the westward and the flames completely swept the towns. Two hours afterward it shifted to the northeast, and swept the blaze back over the ground it already had traveled, licking up the whole of Oscoda and Au Sable city and township for a radius of three miles."

Bay City, Mich., July 13.—The firm of H. M. Loud's Sons Company, of which Congressman Loud is the head, is the heaviest loser in the Oscoda-Au Sable fire. The Congressman will meet his brothers at Au Sable today and consider rebuilding the two towns.

The Louds, who also own the Au Sable and Northeastern railroad, lost 125 freight cars, a train of passenger cars and four of their six engines.

The village of Waters, in Otsego, which was threatened yesterday by forest fires that invaded the town, was saved from destruction by vigorous work.

TWENTY THOUSAND ELKS.

That Number in Annual Review at Atlantic City Yesterday.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 13.—Twenty thousand Elks marched through the principal streets of this city today in annual review. Atlantic avenue, the main thoroughfare of the resort, over which the big parade countermarched, was densely packed by an enthusiastic crowd that was kept interested from the moment Chief Marshal James R. Nicholson, of Boston, came into view with his staff until the rear end of the line marched past.

The parade was a big success. It was divided into ten divisions and every division had something interesting. There were Elks in the conventional dress suits and Elks in the most fantastic uniforms. All of them got an enthusiastic hand from the throngs.

The following prizes were awarded: Lodge having the largest number of men in line, aggregate mileage, first prize, Portland, $250; second prize, New Orleans, $100; third prize, St. Louis, $50.

Lodge making the best appearance in uniform, first prize, St. Louis, $250; second prize, Elizabeth, $150; third prize, Cincinnati, $100.

Lodge coming greatest distance, first prize, Portland, $150; second prize, New Orleans, $50.

Lodge having the largest number of ladies in line, aggregate mileage, first prize, Portland, $200; second prize, Cincinnati, $100; third prize, Syracuse, $50.

Lodge having the most attractive floats, first prize, Orange, $200; second prize, Newport, $100; third prize Portland, $50.

Lodge having most beautiful banner, Philadelphia, $100.

SUICIDE FROM INSOMNIA.

Wife of Railway Official at Athens, Ga., Ends Life.

Baltimore, Md., July 13.—Mrs. Anne Sanner, 28 years old, wife of Harry C. Sanner, a prominent business man of this city, and daughter of W. H. Wells, an official of the Southern Railway, at Athens, Ga., committed suicide by hanging today at her home in Windsor Hills, a suburb of this city. Mrs. Sanner had been suffering from insomnia for several weeks, and it is thought her mind became temporarily unbalanced.

WARE-KRAMER WON VERDICT IN CASE

Jury Awards $20,000 Which Amounts to $60,000 Judgment.

ALLOWANCE FOR COUNCIL FEES

Neither Side Satisfied With Result. How the Jury Stood—Motion for New Trial is Entered. $70,000 in All.

Raleigh, N. C., July 13.—A verdict for $20,000 damages was returned this morning by the jury in the $1,200,000 damage suit of the Ware-Kramer Tobacco Company vs. the American Tobacco Company, after the jury had been out all night. Under the Sherman Anti-Trust act, under which the suit was brought, this verdict is trebled, making the judgment for damgaes that the court enters against the American Tobacco Company $60,000.

The American Tobacco Company, through counsel, lodged notice of appeal, but it is understood that this will be the end of the suit which was brought on the ground that the American Tobacco Company, through the use of coupons, free and gratis goods, inside discounts and other secret and unlawful means of pushing cigarette sales, persistently invaded the trade of plaintiffs and brought about the failure of the plaintiffs who went into the hands of a received in Norfolk in 1909. The trial has been in progress here for four and a half weeks.

The suit originally included W. M. Carter as co-defendant through conspiracy with the American Tobacco Company against plaintiffs, but a non-suit as to him was taken two weeks ago.

Motion for a new trial made by the American Tobacco Company is based on six alleged errors in the charge of Judge Connor and in the admission and rejection of evidence. Counsel for the plaintiff express great dissatisfaction at the verdict as allowing inadequate damages.

It is said that five of the jurors were opposed to allowing any damages at all. These were J. B. Burke, Jno. Powell, J. D. Womble, Daniel Long and W. F. Garris. The seven favoring a verdict for damages were J. R. Wright, W. P. Denner, Kirchon Taylor, Berry Daniel A. Frank Barber and J. M. Parriah. The jury included seven Democrats and five Republicans and it is understood that three of the five Republicans held out for big damages and two were against any damages at all. Three Democrats favored big damages and four wanted big damages allowed. The verdict allowing $20,000 was a compromise of the different views.

The judgment against the American Tobacco Co., for $70,000 and costs, was signed by Judge Connor this afternoon, following the jury verdict for $20,000 that means $60,000 under the provisions of the Sherman Anti-Trust act that gives treble damages.

Also, Judge Connor, under this act, taxed the fees for plaintiffs' counsel, allowing $10,000 in this case. Plaintiffs complained that the Ware-Kramer Company, receiver, is in debt $70,000 and that all the $60,000 verdict will go to the creditors leaving nothing for Ware-Kramer and the stockholders. However, they decided not to ask a new trial.

DR. SHUCK DEAD.

Graduate of University of North Carolina—At Cheraw, S. C.

Charlottesville, Va., July 13.—A telegram announses the death in Cheraw, S. C., of the Rev. L. H. Shuck, D. D., former president of the Albemarle Female Institute and Albemarle College for Young Ladies, both of this city. He was the son of Rev. J. Lewis Shuck, of Virginia, and Henrietta Hall, daughter of Colonel Addison Hall, of Lancaster county, and was born in Singapore, while his parents were on their way to China as missionaries. His mother was the first missionary sent out to China by the Southern Baptist Church. Dr. Shuck was educated at Wake Forest College and the University of Virginia, and was a B. A. of the University of North Carolina. He had been pastor at Madison, N. C.; Steel Creek, Long Branch and Barnwell, S. C.; pastor of the First Baptist church, Charleston, S. C., and had filled pulpits at Paducah, Ky.; Fayette, Mo.; Remington and Somerset. His last pastorate was at Cheraw, S. C., where he filled his pulpit up to two weeks ago. Immediately after graduating from college, he was principal of a boys' school at Madison, N. C., and had been a preacher and teacher for fifty-five years.

INDEMNITY AGAINST MEXICO.

State Department Intends to Protect American's Just Claim.

Washington, July 13.—Americans who have legitimate claims against Mexico for legitimate injuries sustained during the revolution will be amply protected by the Seate Department.

It is said at the department that in every case known to an American consul of an American having been killed or wounded or suffered property loss, the ambassy in the City of Mexico has promptly made formal complaint to the foreign office.

SOUTHERN WRECK; SEVEN HURT

Cars Loaded With Stone Broke Loose and Crashed Into Passenger Train—Six Passengers Injured—The Crash.

Asheville, N. C., July 13.—Five cars heavily loaded with stone, broke loose on a steep grade from a shifting engine this afternoon at Granite Quarry, on the Yadkin branch of the Southern Railway, ran out onto the main line and crashed head-on into passenger train No. 23, bound from Salisbury to Norwood, N. C., severely injured Engineer A. J. Heilig, of Norwood; slightly hurt six passengers and gave the others a bad shaking up. The fireman saved himself by jumping.

The locomotive of the passenger train was completely demolished, the track torn up for some distance and the stone cars wrecked. One of the pecularities of the accident was the demolishing of the baggage car next to the engine, leaving the baggageman unharmed.

The cars broke loose just before the passenger train, running to make up lost time, arrived at the siding, ran on to the main line and both cars and train met at full speed. The impact was terrific.

Engineer Heilig was badly scalded, bruised and injured internally. He was taken to Salisbury hospital.

All of the passengers' injuries were slight.

RACES END UNEXPECTEDLY.

Governor Closed Bookmaking Stalls at Indianapolis.

Indianapalos, Ind., July 13.—With one day's card still to be raced the grand circuit harness race meet here was declared closed at the conclusion of today's programme. The withdrawal of a number of horses, which brought the entries for tomorrow's events below the limit set by the racing association, was given as the reason for the closing of the meet here.

It is said, the order of Gov. Marshall closing the bookmakers' stalls, may have had something to do with the ending of the meeting. Today the only betting was in private pools.

Today's card was marked by fast time in all four races. The fastest trotted mile of the season was recorded in the 2:08 trot, when Don Labor, driven by Kimlin, went the first heat in 2:05 1-4. The fastest mile before the fourth race was made by Ario Leyburn, driven by the veteran Geers. He took the three heats of the feature race in 2:07 1-4.

Summaries: First race, 2:11 pace; 3 in 5; purse $1,000. Annie Laurie, brown, by Walter Direct, won; Twinkling Dan, br h, second; Electro Hal, b h, third. Best time 2:06 1-2.

Second race, 2:12 trot, 3 in 5; purse $2,500. Ario Leyburn, b h, by Arion, won; Electric Todd, br h, second; Johnny G., ch h, third; best time 2:07 1-4.

Third race, 2:24 pace, 2 in 3; purse $1,000. Kirby Star, b m, by Kohn Kirby, won; Fleet Americus, br f, second; Bradon Direct, blk h, third; best time 2:07 1-4.

Fourth race, 2:08 trot; 2 in 3; purse $1,000. Don Labor, br g, by Labor Day, won; Aljal Stanley, br h, second; Willy, b h, third; best time 2:05 1-4.

ON TRAIL OF CASTRO.

American Minister Tells of Movements of Exiled President.

New Orleans, July 13.—According to private correspondence received by Dr. Maximo Soto Hall, of Guatemala City, formerly minister of Guatemala to Venezuela, who is in New Orleans for a few days, General Cipriano Castro, the exiled Venezuelan president, was in Port Limon, Costa Rica, not more than three weeks ago. Dr. Hall says he was informed that Castro came from Europe to Port Limon, and after remaining in the Costa Rican city several days, took a ship for Colon, Panama. At that port he embarked for Santa Marta, Colombia, where he embarkey for Valencia, Venezuela. Dr. Hall believes that Castro received strong support at Valencia, as he has a large following there. The former minister declares that the Castro party is being reinforced from Cuba, where the major part of Castro's supplies and ammunition have come from.

OUTLINES.

A verdict for $20,000 was awarded the Ware-Kramer Tobacco Co., against the American Tobacco Co., at Raleigh yesterday. The amount was trebled under the provision of the Sherman anti-trust law, which places it at $60,000——Seven persons were injured yesterday in a wreck on the Southern Railway near Norwood, N. C., caused by five heavily loaded cars breaking loose and crashing into a passenger train——Senators LaFollette and Bristow made speeches in the Senate yesterday against the reciprocity bill. The final fight on the measure is now being made——Bitter words were exchanged in the Senate yesterday betewen Senator Williams and Senator Heyburn on account of the latter calling the Confederacy an "infamous cause."——The Retail Hardware Association of the Carolinas adjourned at Asheville after the election of officers.

New York markets: Money on call, steady, at 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 3-8; closing bid, 2 1-4; offered at 2 3-8; spot cotton closed quiet, unchanged; middling uplands, 14.25; middling gulf, 14.50; flour was about steady, with a fair inquiry; wheat, easy; No. 2, red, new, 93 3-8, elevator, and 94 f.o.b. afloat; corn, firm; export, No. 2, 70 7-8, f.o.b. afloat; oats, firm; standard white, 53 cents; rosin, quiet; turpentine, steady.

FIGHT TO DEFEAT RECIPROCITY BILL

Insurgent Senators LaFollette and Bristow Make Attack on Measure.

PRAISE ROOSEVELT POLICIES

Bristow Renewed Fight Against Sugar Tariff and LaFollette Attacked Taft Administration — Speeches in Senate.

Washington, July 13.—Two important insurgent speeches against the Canadian reciprocity bill were made today when Senators LaFollette, of Wisconsin, and Bristow, of Kansas, introduced their amendments to that measure and spoke in favor of them and against the specific features of the pending bill.

Senator LaFollette excoriated President Taft's administration, not only with reference to the tariff legislation proposed, but also on his conservation policies. Senator Bristow renewed his fight against the present sugar tariff, and urged the repeal of the "16 Dutch standard," test on imported sugar, which he declared operates entirely in the interests of the American Sugar Refining Company.

Hoping to reach a vote on the reciprocity bill next week, which Chairman Penrose, of the Senate Finance Committee regards as "next to a certainty," managers on both sides of the Senate chamber are figuring seriously on the subsequent programme. Most of them have counted upon getting away after perfunctory votes on the Democratic free list and woolen bills, but today it became evident that other legislation will be pressed for consideration.

The friends of the Arizona and New Mexico Statehood and reapportionment bills especially will demand votes, as will advocates of the campaign publicity bill.

Whatever their fate, these bills must necessarily be taken into consideration in all adjournment calculations.

Senator LaFollette, in a speech against reciprocity today reviewed act by act, the administration of President Taft, in unsparing terms and declared that the contest involved was the "fight between the plain people and confederated privilege."

"Considered as a measure of reciprocity," said he, "the Canadian agreement violates every tariff principle of reciprocity heretofore expressed in the platform of the Republican party and recommended by former Republican Presidents. Considered as a tariff bill it violates every tariff principle and platform promise upon which William H. Taft, was elected President. The reciprocity bill reduces no duties, the effect of which can ever reach the people, but it does reduce duties for the millers, the packers, Standard Oil, the brewers, the coal combines, and in some measure for the already grossly protected interests. It is nothing that it pretends to be and professes to be nothing that it is. It is a little brother to the Payne-Aldrich bill, the greatest legislative wrong inflicted upon the American people in half a century."

Continuing his criticism of Mr. Taf's administration, Senator LaFollette said:

"Throughout the first pages of his first general message he found no space to say a word for the great measure that had made the name of his predecessor (Mr. Roosevelt) revered and loved everywhere in the United States.

"In all the record of this administration, no more glaring example is presented of the complete surrender to special interests and the complete reversal of Roosevelt's progressive policies than that shown in dating with the amendments to the Inter-State Commerce act. It would have been difficult to have framed a piece of legislation affecting interstate commerce more harmful to the public interest than the bill drafted by the Attorney General and recommended to Congress by President Taft."

"Heir to the Roosevelt policies, as a Presidential candidate, Mr. Taft, was a pronounced progressive and the leading and most enthusiastic Roosevelt champion from the first to the last of the campaign. Three months after he was inaugurated he seemed to have forgotten that there ever had been any well known Roosevelt policies. He had no sooner taken his oath of office than he sacrificed the progressive cause for the support of Aldrich and Cannon and their reactionary programme.

"Reciprocity is a popular catchword. The President seized upon it. He made an executive compact the basis, to the reciprocity treaty to a tariff bill. Upon this false basis, he seems to force it through Congress without amendment or change.

"In letter and spirit, this measure violates every principle and every promise of the Republican platform, expressed or implied, and every printed or spoken word and inducement employed to secure the votes necessary to elect Wm. H. Taft. This bill and the Canadian pact are cruelly unjust to 33,000,000 people engaged in and dependent upon agriculture.

"Unjoined with the executive to force this bill through Congress are the newspapers warmly admitting their selfish interest amounting to many millions of dollars, the railroads, the over-protected manufacturers, and practically every trust and combination backed by Morgan and Morgan influences."

HARDWARE DEALERS ADJOURN

Officers Elected and Charleston, S. C., Chosen as Next Place of Meeting—Mutual Insurance Company Organized.

Asheville, N. C., July 13.—After electing officers and naming Charleston, S. C., as the next place of meeting, the Hardware Association of the Carolinas adjourned its business sessions this afternoon. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

President—A. L. Phipps, Durham, N. C.

First Vice President—M. Bonnett, Darlington, S. C.

Second Vice President—Otis Green, Asheville, N. C.

Third Vice President—W. H. Keith, Timmonsville, S. C.

Secretary and Treasurer—T. W. Dixon, Charlotte, N. C.

The convention organized the mutual insurance company of the Carolinas at the morning session, $111,000 worth of stock having been subscribed.

A ball tendered in honor of the delegates to the convention by James L. Alexander, was given at the Battery Park Hotel tonight.

The last session was held in the ball room of Battery Park Hotel this morning at 10 o'clock. This was the only executive session and various reports were heard, including that of the delegates to National Convention, treasurer, special insurance committee, auditing committee and nominating committee. In addition to the regular programme, Chas. A. Ireland, second vice president of The National Association, addressed the meeting. The treasurer's report showed organization to be in good financial condition, and growing steadily. The report of the special committee, consisting of Messrs. M. Bonnoitt, of Darlington; W. H. Keith, of Timmonsville; E. W. Duvall, of Cheraw; W. H. Smith, of Gaffney; R. H. McDuffey, of Fayetteville; U. B. Blalock, of Wadesboro; W. W. Watt and T. W. Dixon, of Charlotte, appointed last year to consider the plan of organization of a Co-operative Hardware Insurance Company of the Carolinas, were heard. The committee recommended such a company and adopted the plan unanimously. The above committee, with H. E. Reid, of Lincolnton, and Arthur Craig, of Marion, S. C., were elected directors and $150,000 of insurance was given by delegates present. The officers, with W. H. Smith, of Gaffney, and J. W. Smoak, of Orangeburg, S. C., constituted the executive committee. A number of delegates leave today, tomorrow others will join the excursion to Toxaway to remain several days.

ATWOOD CIRCLES WASHINGTON.

Boston Aviator Plays Aerial Pranks—To Receive Medal.

Washington, July 13.—Harry T. Atwood, the Boston aviator, flew over the city in his aeroplane today, played aerial pranks with the Washington monument, circled tall buildings, had fun with an army of automobiles, bicycles, pedestrians and police by pretending to land at various points in Potomac Park, and finally, after a series of sweeping circles near the capital, soared in the gathering dusk to the Army Aviation Field, at College Park, Md., whence he had come. Today's trip will be followed by another tomorrow when Atwood will land near the White House to receive the medal of the Washington Aerial Society.

Atwood's most spectacular effort followed his circling of the monument. After wheeling thrice around the big craft he sped away in the direction of the Virginia hills. Turning sharply the aviator drove his aeroplane directly at the top of the monument, as though he intended to knock off the aluminum tip, and when almost directly over the apex shut off his motor and came sliding down.

The crowd and police, who had been decoped to the river bank, made a rush toward the monument, but Atwood laughingly turned on his engine again and swept back directly over their heads. After a number of complicated evolutions he turned the nose of his plane toward the Maryland field. The weather was perfect for the flight and a great crowd witnessed the demonstration, which lasted nearly an hour.

WOMAN COP IN POUGHKEEPSIE.

Will Not Carry Pistol or Club—Coolness Her Weapon.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 12.—Poughkeepsie's first woman policeman was appointed today by the Police Commission. She is Martha T. Karnofski, a nurse, who is the agent of the St. Barnabas Fund, a charitable institution.

Miss Karnofski's badge as a special policeman already adorns her shirtwaist. She is the second Poughkeepsie woman to get a job under the criminal authorities. The first was Miss Mollie Spicer, who was made a deputy sheriff by Sheriff Townsend to aid her in her work as agent of the State Charities Aid Association. Her badge has intimidated persons who otherwise would have made trouble for her. Miss Karnofski's work is similar to that of Miss Spicer, and she has often found need for official power to arrest.

"Like Miss Spicer, I don't intend to carry either a pistol or a club," said Miss Karnofski. "They aren't necessary. Coolness is better weapons, and I expect little difficulty in subduing obstreperous persons."

WILLIAMS SHARPLY ANSWERS HEYBURN

Took Issue With Idaho Senator For Calling Civil War "Infamous Cause."

BITTER WORDS IN THE SENATE

Mississippi Senator Won His Point and Jeff Davis' Bodyguard Will Remain on Senate Payroll. Details.

Washington, July 13.—The reciprocity debate in the Senate today was preceded by the endorsement of the plea of Senator John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, for the retention on the Senate payroll of Jim Jones, an aged negro bodyguard of Jefferson Davis.

In supporting Senator Williams, the Senate overthrew its own Committee on Patronage, which had recommended the removal of Jones from the payroll. Bitter words were exchanged between Senator Williams and Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, over Mr. Heyburn's characterization of the Confederacy as an "infamous cause". Mr. Williams retorting that he was unprepared to hear that expression from a "civilized man."

"But for the parliamentary rules that restrain me," declared Mr. Williams, "I would have a few words to say about the kind of human being in whose heart such thoughts can exist."

Senator Williams had asked to have "Jim" Jones, the 82-year-old negro, who had been Jefferson Davis' body guard, and in whose custody the seal of the Confederacy was intrusted, retained on the Senate payroll as a laborer.

Senator Heyburn acquiesced in retention of the negro for his service formerly given to the Senate, "but not because of loyalty to the glory of an infamous cause."

Senator Williams replied with great feeling that he was "not prepared to hear a civilized man in the 20th century call 'an infamous cause,' the cause for which his (Williams) father laid down his life.

"Lee and Jackson may have been wrong," added Mr. Williams. "That the government is now in existence is a cause for congratulation to the children of the men who died with Lee and Jackson, but I cannot express the sentiment I have for a human being in whom such sentiment can remain as have been expressed here."

"There is no right of American citizenship," he added "that permits a man to insult the dead."

"Well was it a glorious cause?" asked Mr. Heyburn.

"There was much glory in it," replied Mr. Williams.

The Senate sustained Senator Williams by a vote of 37 to 18, leaving Jones on the payroll at $720 a year as a laborer.

Mr. Heyburn, following his bitter altercation with Mr. Williams, voted against the negro.

Senator Heyburn's use of the phrase "infamous cause" seemed to enrage Senator Williams; walking in to the middle of the aisle and shaking his head at the gentleman from Idaho, he exclaimed passionately: "Loyalty and courage and honor are things that are precious to honorable men. The Senator from Idaho seems to have constituted himself a censor to see that no kind word is ever spoken of the men who wore the gray. Whence comes this censorship?"

When Senator Heyburn rejoined that he was simply exercising his rights as an American citizen, Mr. Williams, retorted: "There is no inherent right in an American citizen to insult the dead. The constitution confers no right to trample on the feelings of the living. The idea of saying that the men who gladly sacrificed their lives in behalf of constitutional principles were engaged in an 'infamous cause.'"

In opening the address which precipitated the bitter encounter with Mr. Heyburn, Mr. Williams, said: "I rise for the purpose of pleading the cause of an old, faithful and honest negro man. I do not know that I have anything to urge in his behalf except sentiment. Among all the magnificent attributes of the human race I think Tom Carlyle, was right in saying that loyalty was the greatest of the small, loyalty to a country, to a cause, to a leader, to a man, loyalty to something. It is not peculiarly one of our virtues. This old darkey possessed it in a very high degree."

This precipitated one of the sharpest discussions heard in the Senate this session.

James Jones, around whose name the Senate oratory raged has been on the Senate pay-rolls for many years. In late years he has been so helpless that he has been able to render no service. Recently at a celebration here in honor of Jefferson Davis, birthday anniversary, Jones was introduced to a monster gathering, by Senator Bailey, of Texas, as the man who holds inviolate the secret of the hiding place of the seal of the Confederacy. This incident aroused much enthusiasm among the followers of the lost cause.

Chicago, July 13.—Evelyn Arthur See, founder of the Absolute Life Cult, tonight was found guilty of the abduction of Mildred Bridges, a 17-year-old disciple of the cult. The jury was out a little over an hour.

SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg, 4; New York, 9.
At Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 5.
At Boston, 6; St. Louis, 8.
At Philadelphia, 1; Cincinnati, 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	44	31	.693
New York	47	34	.606
Chicago	45	30	.600
St. Louis	44	32	.579
Pittsburg	43	33	.566
Cincinnati	32	43	.427
Brooklyn	29	47	.382
Boston	18	58	.267

Brooklyn, July 13.—Brooklyn took an uphill game from Chicago today, a timely hit by Tooley sending over the winning run in the ninth. Seven pitchers were used. All three Chicago boxmen were wild.

Chicago .....001 211 000—5 12 2
Brooklyn .....000 100 131—6 17 2

Cole, Richie, Brown and Archer; Scanlon, Bell, Schardt, Rucker and Erwin; time 3:30; umpires Kiem and Brennan.

New York, July 13.—Leifield made a failure of trying to hold the Giants today and the locals ran away from Pittsburg. Leifield was batted out in the fifth. Clarke did some hard hitting for the visitors.

Pittsburg .....001 000 021—4 10 1
New York .....202 040 10x—9 13 3

Leifield, Gardner and Gibson and Simon; Drucke and Myers and Wilson; time 2:05; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Philadelphia, July 13.—Keef's wildness enabled Philadelphia to score the only run of today's game with Cincinnati. In the ninth inning, with Luderous on second, and two out, Keefe after purposely walking Dooin, gave bases on balls to Moore and Knabe, forcing Luderous home. The latter's batting featured.

Cincinnati . . .000 000 000—0 7 2
Philadelphia . . .000 000 001—1 4 0

Keefe and McLean; Moore and Dooin. Time 2:00. Umpires Frary and O'Day.

Boston, July 13.—St. Louis hit the ball hard during the early innings today and defeated Boston 8 to 6. Errors by Tenney and Sweeney in the third, followed by Konetchy's home run, netted 3 tallies.

Boston .....001 000 212—6 10 3
St. Louis .....103 300 001—8 11 2

Weaver, Mattern and Kling; Steele and Bresnahan. Time 2:13. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Cleveland, 7; Washington, 4.
At Detroit, 8; Philadelphia, 7.
At Chicago, 1; Boston, 2.
At St. Louis, 6; New York, 1.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	54	24	.692
Philadelphia	49	28	.636
Chicago	41	35	.539
New York	41	36	.532
Boston	41	38	.519
Cleveland	39	42	.481
Washington	27	52	.342
St. Louis	20	57	.260

St. Louis, July 13.—The local team came to life today and won a game from New York 6 to 1. The locals started scoring in the third when a single, a hit batsman and a home run brought them three runs. Although Ford gave but two hits, he was relieved by Brockett in the fifth, who held the locals hitless for the remainder of the game.

St. Louis .....003 110 10x—6 2 3
New York .....000 000 010—1 5 4

Nelson and Stephens; Ford, Brockett and Sweeney; time 1:35; umpires O'Loughlin and Connolly.

Cleveland, July 13. — Cleveland again defeated Washington, the score being 7 to 5. Johnson was hit hard throughout, but errors behind him in the fourth caused the loss of the game. Krapp drove in two runs with a triple, and scored himself, striking out the other three times. Score:

Cleveland . . . . .000 510 011—7 11 1
Washington . . . .000 110 400—5 7 2

Krapp and Fisher, Johnson and Henry. Time: 1:52. Umpires: Evans and Mullin.

Chicago, July 13.—In a pitchers' battle between Walsh and Collins, Boston defeated Chicago, 2 to 1. A double, triple and a single gave Boston their score; two hits, a sacrifice and an out gave Chicago one run. Score:

Chicago. . . . . .000 010 000—1 5 0
Boston. . . . . .000 020 000—2 5 1

Walsh, Sullivan and Payne; Collins and Carrigan. Time: 1:45. Umpires: Egan and Sheridan.

Detroit, July 13.—Cobb scored from first, on Delehanty's single, in the ninth today and this run gave Detroit their third successive victory over Philadelphia. The score was 8 to 7. Both Lafitte and Morgan were wild, and both were relieved. With two men retired, an error allowed Philadelphia to go two runs into the lead in the eighth. Detroit tied in their half. Score:

Philadelphia . . .101 001 040—7 7 1
Detroit . . . . .010 400 021—8 12 3

Morgan, Bender and Thomas; Lafitte, Summers and Stange. Time: 2:28. Umpires: Dineen and Perrine.

SERVICE BAD, IS COMPLAINT.

Short Northumberland Tomato Crop Hurt by Poor Arrangements.

Heathsville, Va., July 12.—The tomato crops on Coan and Yeocomico rivers, in Northumberland county, have been greatly damaged by the extremely hot weather, the fruit being blistered in the field, making it unfit for market. The crop will be short.

In addition to this, transportation facilities are everything but satisfactory, the Baltimore steamers are unable to keep the wharves clear of freight, and on several occasions boats leaving here have not reached Baltimore in time for the tomatoes to be sold the following day. Perishable freight has remained on the wharves for several days, causing considerable loss to the farmers. The condition does not improve and the citizens are provoked at the service they are receiving.

a severe thunderstorm about 4 o'clock this afternoon, lightning struck the belfry of the Presbyterian Church, which was undergoing repairs, stunning J. Nixon severely. This is the second time it has been injured by lightning.

South Atlantic League.

Savannah, July 13.—Albany bunched hits on Taylor in the sixth inning of the opening game of the series here today and won easily from Savannah 5 to 3.

Albany .....000 004 100—5 6 3
Savannah .....100 100 100—3 5 2

Porray and Matthews; Taylor and Geibel; time 1:45; umpire Moran.

Columbia, S. C., July 13.—Dutch Wagner today shut out Jacksonville without a hit, only two men reaching first and Columbia won by a score of 2 to 0.

Jacksonville ....000 000 000—0 0 3
Columbia .....000 100 10x—2 5 0

Wilder and Lery; Wagner and Kunkle; time 1:30; umpire Kelly.

Charleston, S. C., July 13.—Ludden, the locals' new pitcher, was too much for Macon this afternoon, Charleston winning 2 to 1.

Charleston .....100 001 00x—2 4 0
Macon .....010 000 000—1 4 3

Ludden and Luskey; Schulze and Reynolds; time 1:30; umpire Hoagland.

Southern League.

Nashville, Tenn., July 13.—Nashville pounded Sitton in this afternoon's game, defeating Atlanta 11 to 2. Smith of Nashville secured two hits, which makes him the first Southern League player to get a hundred hits this season.

Nashville .....400 025 00x—11 12 0
Atlanta .....000 000 200—2 9 4

Aitchison and Munson; Sitton and Wells; time 2:10; umpire Coliflower.

Montgomery, Ala., July 13.—Inability to hit Hess cost Montgomery today's game, New Orleans winning 3 to 0. Hess allowed only three scattered hits.

Montgomery ...000 000 000—0 3 1
New Orleans ...010 000 011—3 7 1

Bailey and Gribbens; Hess and Angermier; time 2:05; umpires Hart and Pfenninger.

Birmingham, Ala., July 13.—Mobile defeated Birmingham this afternoon 2 to 0, chiefly through the effective work of Pitcher Campbell.

Birmingham ...000 000 000—0 3 1
Mobile .....020 000 000—2 6 2

Speer and Elliott; Campbell and Dunn; time 1:25; umpires Rudderham and Fitzsimmons.

Virginia League.

At Norfolk 6; Roanoke 5.
At Richmond-Petersburg, rain.

American Association.

At Louisville 6; Columbus 3.
At Kansas City 8; Minneapolis 2.
At Toledo 2; Indianapolis 1; (10 innings.)

Eastern League.

At Baltimore 5; Newark 0.
At Rochester 1; Buffalo 5.
At Ottawa: Toronto 10; Montreal 7.

Appalachian League.

At Knoxville 13; Asheville 1.
At Bristol 3; Cleveland 5.
At Johnson City 2; Morristown 17.

INQUIRY TO NEW YORK.

Mr. Arbuckle Too Sick to Appear Before Sugar Committee.

Washington, July 13.—When the House "sugar trust" Investigating Committee goes to New York next week to continue its inquiry, it will send a sub-committee to the home of John Arbuckle, head of the firm of Arbuckle Bros if Mr. Arbuckle is unable to appear at the hearing there. He is too ill to come to Washington in response to the committee's request and probably will not be able to attend the New York hearing. Mr. Arbuckle, whose interests are competitive with those of the American Sugar Refining Company, is expected by the committee to reveal vital information concerning the operations of the "trust" and its control of the country's sugar business.

Washington B. Thomas, of the American Sugar Refining Company, will be a witness in New York.

Today Milton D. Purdy, former assistant attorney general, told the committee that he did not know why former Attorney General Bonaparte did not prosecute "sugar trust" officials for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law in the Pennsylvania Sugar Refinery Transaction after he (Purdy), had recommended that the case be pressed in 1906. Mr. Purdy declared that his opinion that the information presented to him in that case, if proved, warranted prosecution never had changed since the case was outlined to him.

A delegation of Louisiana cane sugar planters and manufacturers will be heard by the committee tomorrow.

NO STRIKE, SAYS WALSH.

Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Offers Employes Olive Branch.

Richmond, Va., July 12.—General Superintendent of Motive Power Walsh, of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, declares he has reason to think the differenses between the company and its employes will be satisfactorily settled, and he does not anticipate a strike. He has sent the following letter to Chairman Thomas F. Kilcoyne, of the federated board:

"Referring to the several conferences that have been held between the officials of the Chesapeake & Ohio, your committee and the grand officers of your several organizations on the subject of rates of pay, at a conference held at White Sulphur it was decided to propose to your committee that the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway will pay the employes represented by you the same rates of pay as those promised by the Norfolk & Western, the rates to become effective on the same date that they become effective on the Norfolk & Western."

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WILL RACE AGAIN.

Wilmington and Dillon, S. C., Horses to be Matched Soon.

Those who witnessed the match race between The Queen, owned by Dr. Morris Caldwell, of this city, and Montague, owned by Mr. J. H. Wiggins, of Dillon, S. C., which was run at the track of the Wilmington Driving Association last Saturday, will be pleased to hear that the same horses will be run in another match race in the near future. The date for the forthcoming race has not been decided upon as yet, but some of the details have been arranged. Two races will be run, one in this city and one in Dillon, S. C. In the event that each horse wins a race a third will have to be run, but no plans will be made for this unless it occurs. Instead of the one mile heat at the race last Saturday the coming events will be run three in five, mile heats.

The Wilmingtonians who saw the match race last Saturday were impressed with the fight the game little mare made and many of them state that they will back her to win over the South Carolina horse when they meet next. The match will probably draw a larger attendance here than was present at either day of the official meet held last week, and the local turfmen and race "fans" will eagerly await the announcement of the date of the event.

PROTEGE OF BRANDON.

Joins Lynchburg Team in the Virginia Baseball League.

Lynchburg, Va., July 12.—Catcher J. M. Sink, of Spencer, N. C., a protege of "Rube" Brandon, reported to Manager Stocksdale for a trial in the Shoemaker cathing department. The new man is a big fellow and has the looks of a ball player. Brandon expects Sink to make good from the jump, in which case he will be a tower of strength to the team until Bien and McCormac can get themselves in good playing condition again.

PITCHERS SHIFT ABOUT.

Paige Goes With Atlanta and Foxen to New Orleans.

Atlanta, Ga., July 13.—The Atlanta Baseball Association today completed a three-cornered deal, whereby the locals get Pitcher Paige, formerly with New Orleans, from Toledo, where he was sent by Cleveland after being purchased from New Orleans. In the same trade Pitcher Foxen goes from the Atlanta Club to New Orleans. Paige will twirl Saturday's game for the Atlantans at Nashville, while Foxen will join his new team in time to pitch next Sunday's game.

AFFAIRS AT OXFORD.

Oral Hygiene in Schools—Postal Savings Bank—Rains.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Oxford, N. C., July 13.—Dr. L. V. Henderson is preparing to inaugurate an educational movement in oral hygiene among the school children of the county that will without doubt be of great service in improving the health of the county. He has ordered a text book on this subject, a copy of which will be donated to every one of the 50 rural school libraries in the county. He will offer one or more prizes for the best essay on care of the teeth written by a school boy or girl in the public schools. In addition to this he plans to give a number of lectures on the subject illustrated by stereopticon views, and keep the question fresh before the public during the year with articles in the local papers.

In connection with this it is of public interest to note something of the broad, co-operative plans that are being worked out in the county through the supervising and administrative offices. The superintendents of schools, roads, health, and agriculture, seeing the vital relation and interdependence of these various departments are trying to work out a plan to correlate in a measure the work in each. There is an educational side to the work of each of these offices and it is hoped that through conferences they can each supplement the work of the others.

Tomorrow is the date for the opening of the depository of the Postal Savings bank here. Whether it will be patronized very extensively remains to be seen. Postmaster Brown seems to be very proud of this new adjunct to his office.

The best rains that have fallen in the county for over two months came today. They have come just in time to arrest a decided deterioration in all crops. Indications are now that a fair crop of corn, tobacco and cotton will be made.

DETECTIVES HALED TO COURT.

Officers Accused of Permitting Girls' Letters to Disappear.

New York, July 13.—The Stokes case was kept in the public eye today by the trial of the four city detectives on charges arising out of the disappearance of nine letters from the collection taken from the apartment of Lillian Graham and Ethel Conrad after they were arrested for shooting the wealthy hotel man. The men expected to appear before First Deputy Police Commissioner McKay today are Lieut. Welsh and Detectives Walsh, Devery and Evans.

A representative of the district attorney's office has been asked to attend the hearing. The investigation is being hurried so that the evidence may be laid before the present grand jury which will determine whether the two girls shall be indicted on a charge of assault.

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FORCE WILEY TO RESIGN.

Head of Bureau of Chemistry Condemned by Department.

Washington, July 13.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry, of the Department of Agriculture, has been condemned by a committee on personnel of the Department of Agriculture, with recommendation to President Taft that "he be permitted to resign."

It is charged that Dr. Wiley permitted an arrangement to be made with Dr. H. H. Rusby, a pharmacognosist, of Columbia University, for compensation in excess of that allowed by law. Attorney General Wickersham recommended approval of the committee's action in an opinion submitted to the President.

It is claimed that the arrangement was to put Dr. Rusby on the pay roll of the department at $1,600 a year as an employee of the bureau of chemistry, an agreement being made with him that he should be called upon to perform only such service as this salary would compensate for and he was to get $20 per day for laboratory investigations and $50 per day for attendance in court. Attorney General Wickersham held that the law permitted the payment of only $9 a day, this sum later being increased to $11 a day.

The committee and the Attorney's General also have recommended the dismissal of Dr. Rusby and the reduction of Dr. L. F. Kebler, chief of the division of drugs of the Department of Agriculture. The committee further recommends that Dr. W. D. Bigelow, assistant chief of the bureau of chemistry, also be given an opportunity to resign.

President Taft has not indicated what action he will take in the cases. The matter has become public only now, although the investigation was begun last March. Attorney General Wickersham's recommendation on the cases bears date of May 23.

COTTON BOLL WEEVIL FIGHT.

Department of Agriculture Has Just Issued Farmer's Bulletin.

Washington, July 13.—In opening this season's campaign against the cotton boll weevil the Department of Agriculture has just issued a farmers' bulletin on the fighting of the pest. "The most important step," it says, "is the destruction of the cotton plants by October 15th, or as soon after that date as possible."

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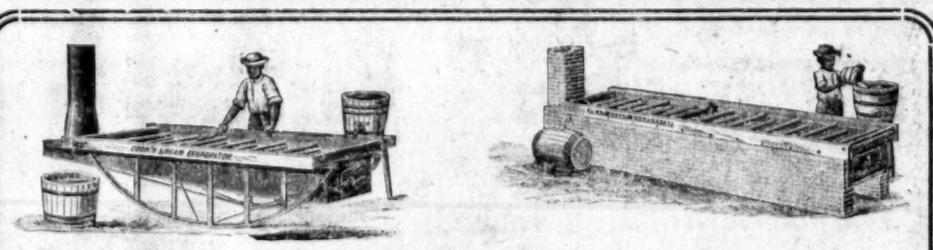

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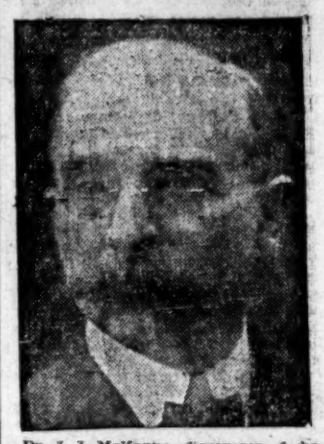

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CAROLINA AT WASHINGTON

Probabilities of Extra Session—Investigations Falling Flat—Pen Picture of Mrs. Abbott—The Senators from the State.

Washington, D. C., July 13.—Once more the sun has influenced Congress. The Senate did not seem to be in any hurry until the sweltering days of last week came, and then it mended its ways. The extra session may continue into the regular session in December but that is a remote possibility with the thermometer sticking around 100.

The House, controlled by Democrats, has sent to the Senate the Canadian reciprocity bill, the campaign publicity bill, the farmers' free list bill, the bill providing for an amendment to the constitution to elect senators by direct vote of the people, and the Arizona and New Mexico Statehood bill. Earlier in the session Floor Leader Underwood said that all of these measures would have to be passed upon before the House would consent to an adjournment. If he has not changed his mind and undertakes to carry out his programme the end of the present session is not in sight.

Judge Brantley, of Georgia, who is one of the ablest members of the Ways and Means Committee, thinks that the Democrats should make their tariff record while here. President Taft, he says, is being given most of the credit for the reciprocity agreement, and the Democrats must go further before the country will be satisfied. Every trust-made article, he argues, should be considered by the tariff tinkers at this session of Congress, when there is plenty of time and no necessity for making haste. A large number of his colleagues agree with him. If this idea prevails Congress will not quit until persimmons are ripe.

The Democrats are being driven into useless and absurd investigations, some of which are not panning out. A few industrious, but unreliable newspaper and magazine writers have instigated some ridiculous campaigns which have fallen flat. Some of the investigating committees have employed trifling chair-warmers to assist in the hunt for violations of the law.

As a result of all of this sort of thing a reaction is setting in and when the regular session comes all that will be left of certain sensational investigations will be the expense account, which the Republicans will make the most of for campaign purposes.

Some of the characters that have appeared here are worth pen pictures.

Mrs. Myrtle F. Abbott, who found the Dick-to-Dick letter, now famous, and as completely lost as the man who struck Billy Patterson, is a most interesting person. She is petit and sprightly, but far from pretty. She must be capable for she writes for leading American publications, but one would not dream it from looking her over. I called on Mrs. Abbott for the New York World the other day. She is stopping at the Rochambeau Apartment House. Her sally into the limelight had made great demands on her time. Newspaper people were seeking information.

"I came down here to write a story for Collier's Weekly," said Mrs. Abbott to me. "I wrote it and Mr. Norman Hopgood sent it back because of certain references to Secretary Fisher, of the Department of the Interior.

"Collier's you know, brought out Senator LaFollette for the Presidency, but the appointment of Secretaries Fisher and Stinson to Mr. Taft's cabinet changed the attitude of Collier's to the President. It's plain now to see that the paper will support Mr. Taft."

Mrs. Abbott rattled away like hail on a house top. She told me everything but the matter uppermost in my mind.

"I cannot give my case away before I go on the witness stand," she said. "I did see the Dick-to-Dick letter, but they say it has disappeared. I will tell what I saw."

Dressed in a simple white gown with large basket-shaped hat, Mrs. Abbott looked the part of a plain, dapper American woman. She is about 35 years old, has large bright gray eyes, and a cute little mouth. Her hands and feet are small and dainty. Every time I have seen her she wore white shoes and stockings to match. Although not queenly, handsome, or even striking, in appearance, she has a well-bred look that grows on you. I, one were stealing a girl for a wife he would not be apt to seize Mrs. Abbott until he had seen others.

The Dick-to-Dick letter caused a sensation and brought the little lady into prominence. The Taft administration has denied the existence of any such epistle as vouched for by Mrs. Abbott.

There are some fishy features to the story of the Dick-to-Dick letter. Mrs. Abbott is too close to some of those who followed the trail of Richard A. Ballinger, who caused the Taft administration so much trouble, if she would convince fair-minded people that she is not in some sort of anti-Ballinger, anti-Taft game.

Young Kirby, who after being confidential man to Mr. Ballinger gave away secrets, has prompted her. The preponderance of evidence is against Mrs. Abbott. She may be right but she may never be able to prove it.

North Carolina visitors to Washington bring interesting political gossip. The latest story is that W. C. Dowd, of Charlotte, will seriously contend for Representative Webb's seat in the House next year. A Mecklenburg man who was here this week said that the ancient factional fight in Mecklenburg would keep the country from having the honor as it has done for years. The names of J. D. McCall, James A. Bell, W. C. Maxwell, J. B. Watt and others are mentioned in connection with the contest.

The senatorial controversy overshadows everything else. Will it be Simmons, Kitchin, Clark or Aycock? The consensus of opinion here is that the contest is between Simmons and Kitchin. That is the way it looks now. A great many prominent Democrats have been here to see Mr. Simmons. They have brought encouraging news to him. It is hard to say what will happen as a result of the campaing from now on. Senator Simmons has a record to defend. How will the people take his opposition to Canadian reciprocity as offered by President Taft?

Mr. Simmons has never straddled an issue here. He has met everything face to face. Boldness and enterprise have marked his course. He cannot be attacked for the things he has left undone but may be for things done.

Senator Overman had a delightful trip on the Mayflower Saturday and Sunday with President Taft. The invitation, coming as it did, was a neat compliment to the North Carolinian. Mr. Overman is very popular in Washington with Republicans as well as Democrats. Being affable and clever he takes well with all sorts and conditions of men. The humblest North Carolinian calls on him as he would his best friend. President Roosevelt liked him, and so does Mr. Taft. There is no doubt that Mr. Overman had much to do with the appointment of Judge Connor to succeed Mr. Purnell. His personal popularity is a real asset to him. He has got much for the State during his short stay in the Senate.

North Carolina ranks well in the Senate. ...essrs. Simmons and Overman are just now in position, from experience and committee assignments to do the State real service. The time seems not far distant when a Southern State will get as much from the Federal government as the average Western State does.

New England is powerful in Congress because of the fact that it sends good men to Washington and keeps them here. There is no doubt that long service makes a Senator and Representative fit. If the man is all right he should be returned time after time until he is too old to serve. A trifling man should be retired as soon as possible. That is the business way to look at it. H. E. C. BRYANT.

DOINGS IN COLUMBUS.

Refreshing Rains—Stock Raising—Charlotte to Wilmington Highway

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 13.—A fine rain fell last night that was of inestimable benefit to crops. So far as heard from, the rain was general throughout the county. Crops were just getting ready to suffer from the drought, but this timely season put the finishing touches on them. The confident prediction is that Columbus will export corn next year, for there was never such a crop grown as is now practically made. A leading Farmers' Union man stated yesterday that their members intended to have 15 cents for their cotton next Fall or hold it. He stated that Union members from all over the South were combining to hold cotton for a fair price, and in their efforts they would be assisted by the local banks and Southern financiers. Farmers are fast getting ahead of the world, and are in a better financial condition than ever before known.

The news that the cotton boll weevil has certainly appeared in Greenville county, S. C., was not unexpected, and our North Carolina farmers say they look for the visitor next season. There are now more insect pests attacking cotton than ever before known and their appearance is attributed to the general destruction of birds.

Captain Harrison, of Wilmington, who some time since bought a large body of land near Whiteville, says he has an offer from certain parties living in the Western part of the State to purchase same. They want to turn it into a stock-raising farm. Capt. Harrison says he does not know that he will sell, as he likes Columbus and its people and wants to fix a home here to go to when he retires from railroading. Our people are turning their attention to stock-raising, and it is a highly profitable pursuit. One party speaks of buying up a hundred brood mares and raise mules. A gentleman who has raised several mule colts says it costs no more to raise a three-year-old mule than a cow or steer.

Since the matter has been settled that Col. Jones will build the Trans-Continental, and that the road will cross the Waccamaw river at Reaves Ferry, every one wants to get in on the ground floor of the boom that will strike in this county.

Mr. J. E. Dick, president of The Bank of Fair Bluff, has written an article to Editor Gantt, of the News-Reporter, in reply to an editorial that recently appeared in the Robesonian, in which Fair Bluff was spoken of as "Way Down South," and off the line of the projected Wilmington-to-Charlotte highway. Mr. Dick conclusively shows that Fair Bluff is nearer and on a more direct line between Chadbourn and Laurinburg than is Lumberton, and that it is the best and most practical route. He says nearly every day automobiles fromh South Carolina counties pass through Fair Bluff gong to Lake Waccamaw and Wrightsville Beach, and that it is to the interest of both Columbus county and Wilmington to adopt this route in preference to the one via Lumberton.

Mr. Clyde Council, secretary of the Good Roads Association, will soon have the section of the highway through Columbus ready for travel, and is anxious that the other counties now get to work and complete their part of the contract. Mr. Council deserves great praise for the dispatch with which he has done his share of the work.

DEATH NEAR HAMLET.

Mr. Elbridge Millikin Passes Suddenly of Acute Indigestion.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Hamlet, N. C., July 11.—The community was shocked yesterday by the news of the sudden death of Mr. Elbridge Millikin, which occurred at his residence upon his farm four miles west of Hamlet in Richmond county. Mr. Millikin was subject to attacks of acute indigestion and when he felt one coming on Sunday, paid little attention to it, except to take a simple remedy which had always relieved him. But the attack was more serious than he expected and he was dead in an hour.

Mr. Millikin was 70 years old, having been born in Columbus county, November 16th, 1841. He removed to Richmond county and has lived here for the rest of a long and useful life, except seven years spent in the city of Greensboro, from '79 to '86.

Mr. Millikin is survived by his wife and two sons, J. E., and C. B. Millikin, both of Hamlet, and one daughter, Miss Cornelia, who resides with her mother at the late residence.

Read the Business Locals.

THE SENATORIAL CONTROVERSY

A. J. Maxwell Addresses Letter to Morning Paper in Raleigh, Setting Forth His View of the Lumber Circular.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 13.—A. J. Maxwell, secretary of the Corporation Commission, has issued a lengthy signed card addressed to the editor of the Raleigh morning paper setting out in full his connection with the now famous "lumber circular of the 1908 campaign that figured in the colloquy between Senator Simmons, Senator Jno. Sharp Williams and others, on the floor of the Senate, when Simmons was delivering his speech in advocacy of his amendments to the Canadian reciprocity bill.

He says State Chairman Eller is mistaken about not having read all of that circular and insists that he read and strongly approved it; that 20,000 circulars were printed and the article printed in the Raleigh morning paper before it was passed into the general campaign newspaper supplement. He insists that the article can in no way be construed to be a repudiation of the Denver platform. The card is as follows:

Editor News and Observer:

My excuse for writing upon a question that was fully threshed out two years ago—the now famous circular sent out from Democratic State headquarters in the campaign of 1908, discussing tariff on lumber—is that the statement from State Chairman Eller, with the head lines of your own manufacture as it appeared in your paper, and the persistence with which you have made prominent my (very slight) connection with the lumber business at the time that circular was written, has doubtless carried to some of your readers the insinuation that I was not faithful to the trust imposed in me at that time, and that I used my position to gain an unfair advantage for a business in which I was personally interested. I am not afraid of ghosts or suspicions, and so there it is written out in full, just as you have so many times insinuated it to the public, and I will pay my respects to it in due time if I faint not.

First, let me say that I anticipate no controversy over questions of fact between State Chairman Eller and myself. This matter was threshed out in the public press two years ago, and since that time I have had the very best reasons for believing that his respect for me has not been impaired by any disagreement in opinion on this matter and I know that my affection for him has not been. I regret very much that he does not distinctly remember reading, word for word, the entire campaign article in question, when I submitted it to him for approval when it was written, and his strong word of commendation of it after reading it, but I find consolation in the fact that even at this late day, after that article has been given not only a State, but to some extent, a National dissection, that Mr. Eller concludes his statement in yesterday's paper by saying that the article as a whole is "a powerful argument against protection on lumber," and that "the more publicity given to it as a whole the less we shall hear about it as a protection document." So it seems he has little need to be ashamed of it now. I am glad that upon the main point our views are so nearly together. I know that the article was not intended to be, and that as a matter of fact it was not then, is not now, and never will be a repudiation of a single line in the Democratic National platform of 1908, and no amount of iteration and reiteration can make that out of it. It was pre-eminently the application to the tariff plank of that platform of the "rule of reason," assuring the lumber interests that while the platform did call for the placing of lumber on the free list, that the very same plank in the platform assailed the tariff protected trusts of the country, and that this part of it, which would confer benefit upon them, would be held as sacred by the sentinels of Democracy as would that part of it which they thought would hurt them, and having in mind Democratic history of Democratic tariff bills when they were prepared as a whole, covering the whole range of tariff duties, with the view of equal justice to all sections and all interests.

It never once occurred to me (regretfully do I say it) that North Carolina Democratic Congressmen would be expected to join hands with a Republican Congress to strike down this pitifully small tax on lumber in a tariff bill so iniquitously protective that Republicans themselves rebelled at it, and the enactment of which into law turned their party out of power and gave us the present Democratic House of Representatives.

Much less did it occur to me that when this Democratic House should assemble, elected squarely upon an issue of tariff reform on this same platform, that it would forget all the balance of this tariff plank, pledging the people relief from exactions of the tariff protected and trust organized manufacturers of the country, and accept as their pet measure a trade agreement originated and fathered by the Republican President and championed by the leading high priests of protection of the country, including Mr. Aldrich himself, and which merely amounts to placing on the free list the products of the farm and the farmer, while leaving him still at the complete mercy of the protected trust manufacturers of the country.

I would most surely have considered myself guilty of treason to the party if I had from Democratic State headquarters prophesied any such course during the campaign of 1908.

There are a few slight inaccuracies in Mr. Eller's statement in yesterday's paper, which, while they may be of little interest to the public, are of some importance to me. Quoting from his letter:

"I did not have the time nor did I deem it necessary to read all of the many excellent articles written by Mr. Maxwell. I directed him to re-publish in this supplement the letter of Mr. Chas. Ross, a manufacturer of lumber, and the language referred to by Senator Simmons is found in Mr. Maxwell's introductory remarks to this letter."

Mr. Eller's memory is at fault in that this article, introduction and all, was not prepared originally for the

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No. 64, †5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, †6:50 P. M.
No. 48, *8:00 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, *6:15 P. M.
No. 53, *8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville, Sanford and Greensboro.	No. 52, *8:05 P. M.
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No. 62, †3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, †12:50 P. M.
No. 59, *6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x10:15 A. M.
No. 42, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *9:45 A. M.
No. 57, *7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, *8:30 A. M.

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	6:54 A. M.
and every	7:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

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Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every	9:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
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Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R.	9:30am 12:30am
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Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	3:35pm 8:00am

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Friday, July 14, 1911.

Probably graft has existed a long time, but was slow about poking its head up.

It's a lucky politician who hasn't said and done enough to lose any friends or make any enemies.

The probe is not used in order to discover probity. It is a lack of probity that calls the probe into requisition.

Reciprocity will soon be off the boards, but our old friend Cip Castro is rehearsing for a stunt that will keep it from being dull.

"Don't fret and talk about the weather," says the Portland Argus. Well, then, let the weather quit acting in such a scandalous manner as to get itself talked about.

Says the Chicago News: "Love makes the heart flutter and the tongue flatter." The heart might flutter and the tongue might flatter, but if love's rejected the lover's dejected.

Owing to the uncertainties of life a man never knows what is going to happen to him, but one of his safe courses is never in the wide world to write a Dick to Dick letter and sign his name to it.

Twenty-five men are after a vacancy on the Corporation Commission of North Carolina. About 25,000,000 are after the corporations themselves in this good old country of ours.—Richmond Virginian.

In Lippincott's Maude Morris writes: "The rim of the desert of Yucca land, Behind it the snow-peaked ranges stand." The rim of the ocean is Mecca land, Where the breezes blow and the bathing's grand.

The bootlegger seems to flourish, but he has no "visible means of support." He keeps that hid but he has the goods on him to prove that in one sense of the word he has a pursuit and is not a vagrant.

Who helped President Taft fix up the reciprocity agreement with Canada? No doubt he adopted all the suggestions he wanted at the time and decided that amendments by Congress would be superfluous.

If Governor Blease, of South Caroline, wants Tom Fielder very bady, perhaps Governor-Senator Smith, of Georgia, might take a notion to make him a Christmas present. He has plenty of time to think it over.

Newspapers continue to thoughtlessly object to Col. Bryan's suggestions and advice to the Democratic party. First thing they know Col. Bryan will get mad and let somebody tie a tin can to the party just to see it run itself.

Says the Wilmington Star: "Why not let the suffragettes set up their own government in No Man's Land?" Because some people get no pleasure in having their own way unless they deprive the other fellow of his.—Wadesboro Ansonian.

For a man who has been operated on and had all the nations to attempt to curtail his picturesque career, Cipriano Castro has shown us all how to "come back." Somehow or other we have just got to have some kind of hero, and so far as being an elusive proposition is concerned, he is exclusively ours.

It will be hard to figure up the enormous cost of the drought all over the country. Millions on top of millions of dollars in damage to crops in the field resulted, while the consequent advance in the price of everything has greatly increased the cost of living everywhere. The large cities especially are feeling it severely.

INNOCENT EXPECTATIONS.

The wisdom and efficacy of such things as platforms and reciprocity depend altogether on whose platform and whose reciprocity it is. Some men insist that their platform should be accepted without a protest, just as President Taft wants no amendment to his reciprocity bill. If, however, platform and reciprocity makers know more than the whole push, their productions may be worth swallowing without question, but nobody will ever know till the blame things are tried out.

The sole object of these scattering remarks is to give notice that if you see Democrats the least puffed up, it's only a sign that they have swallowed Taft's reciprocity, determined to stick out to the finish. The funny part of it is that having swallowed it, hoofs, hair and horns, the Democrats believe it is theirs, in spite of the fact that they didn't have a finger in the pie—just swallowed it. However, we have seen a noble Jeffersonian swallow the free silver plank of a platform and then recover from it, even if it was slowly. This proves that a man can swallow whatever is handed to him and get over it, but in North Carolina if a Democrat still has a bitter taste in his mouth it is the lingering after effects of "fusion." However, there is no earthly use to warn people to be careful how they swallow things, although they may know what became of little Willie when he licked the quicksilver from the back of the looking glass.

Of course, we do a great many things in our innocence and often our innocent expectations are raised at the shadow of reflecting promises. alized that the Senate as well as the Taft steam roller was geared up to run over amendments to the reciprocity bill, and we began to see foreign interference crushed to earth, we realize that the Senate as well as the House, would have to lie down for the crusher. We long ago foresaw that there was a straight road and triumph ahead for unscathed reciprocity, when we saw proposed amendments begin to be crumpled up and thrown into the waste basket.

The inevitable passage of the bill was foreshadowed in this prophetic column, and we looked ahead and got a clear vision of the graveyard which had been prepared for the "farmers' free list bill," the child of an ever hopeful Democratic House. The bantling was never placed directly in the arms of reciprocity, but was laid on its door step with the credulity of one seeking for the end of the rainbow to dig for money. The proceedings in the Senate on Wednesday showed that the free list was picked up from the stoop and buried in Davy Jones' locker. Therefore, we mourn along with the agricultural constituent of Congressman Lever, of South Carolina, whose innocence led him to believe in the free list to the extent that he was going to get something for nothing. That story is told by K. F. Murray, who writes as follows to the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot:

"A letter which would undoubtedly be considered a hoax perpetrated by some professional wag, if the document itself did not bear unmistakable evidence of its seriousness, was recently received by Representative A. F. Lever, of the Seventh South Carolina district. The missive has caused a great deal of hilarity among those who have seen it in its original innocence. During the debate on the farmers' free list bill, lately passed by the House of Representatives, Mr. Lever delivered a speech of which he was justly proud. He mailed a number of copies of the speech to his constituents in South Carolina. His references to the effect of the measure as putting various agricultural necessities on 'the free list' brought this remarkable requisition from a citizen of his district:

"'To the Hon. A. S. Lever, Washington, D. C.

"'Kinde frend, i read in the book you sent Me that a good Meny importance is on the free list please send Me 10 pairs oil tan brogans number nines and ten pairs oil tan brogans number tens for Men, and ten pairs fine button shoes for Men number nine and ten pairs fine button shoes number tens for Men flour and bacon please and five barrels first patent flour and five barrels second patent flour and five hundred pound chunk meat and five hundred pound side bacon and two fine mules gears and harness and good new Wagon.

"'Shoes for Wimmin ten pairs fine button shoes number eights, ten pairs fine button shoes number seven and ten pairs fine button shoes number sixes and ten pairs fine button shoes number fives and ten pairs fine string shoes number eights and ten pairs fine string shoes number sevens. Verry true.

"'P. S.—Please send Me 250 lbs tubs ov lard and ten sacks ov corn and ten sacks ov oats.'

"Mr. Lever has not yet complied with the naive request."

We may laugh at the supposed innocence and gullibility of Lever's farmer friend, but if he is not a humorist he is no more so than a Democratic House which worked off the farmers' free list as a trailer and not as an amendment to the reciprocity bill.

NEW AIR SPRING FOR AUTOMOBILES.

Pittsburg, Pa., is one of the greatest manufacturing cities of the United States, but its Chamber of Commerce and business men are as actively engaged in attracting and encouraging new industries as any other city in the country.

It was announced a few days ago in Pittsburg that Geo. Westinghouse had perfected an a ir spring device, which, it is declared, will do away with the use of pneumatic tires on automobiles. Mr. Westinghouse has been working on this invention for several years, and it is now declared that tests of the spring, with cushion tires, have been made under the most severe conditions and that these have demonstrated that its general use will work a revolution in the tire industry. It is said that it will save millions of dollars to automobile owners, but we should say it would make a big hole in the profits of the rubber trust.

This is interesting, not only for the reason that evidently it is a great invention that will prove a blessing to automobilists, but it shows how quick a great city like Pittsburg will get to work to cinch a great industry. Coincident with the announcement that the air spring had been perfected was one that Mr. Westinghouse has organized a company for the manufacture of the device. The new company is to be known as the Westinghouse Air Spring Company, and it was given out that negotiations are under way for the erection of a plant somewhere in New York State, to give employment to mare than 6,000 men.

That is when Pittsburg got busy. One of the papers of that city says as soon as the announcement was brought to the attention of President F. R. Babcock, of the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce, he declared that he would take immediate action and the Chamber would start a plan to secure the industry for Pittsburg. He stated that the effort to have the industry to locate in his city is right on line with plans whoch the Chamber of Commerce recently formed to boom Pittsburg. Since then Pittsburg has gone right after the new Westinghouse industry and is likely to land it.

Automobile owners will be interested in a description of the device, showing that the main feature is a double cylinder. The upper cylinder is attached at the top to the chassis frame and a lower one is attached to the bottom of the axle. The one cylinder telescopes into the other. Inside these are other tubes permitting of piston action in oil and air. When the car is running the pistons are working constantly. The spring suspension is accurately and automatically adjusted to suit the load. For every inch of telescopic action the air is compressed by a greater percentage of its original volume, consequently the resistance increases more rapidly.

OPENING OF THE PANAMA CANAL

Wilmington had better be getting ready to send a steamer by way of the Panama Canal to San Francisco when the exposition opens there to celebrate the completion of the great Isthmian waterway that is to open up to us the trade of the West coast of South America and of the Orient.

San Francisco is busy getting ready for the exposition and it is predicted that the naval pageant to signalize the opening of the canal will exceed that held in honor of the coronation of King George. At any rate, it will be a great and exceedingly interesting show for those who will be able to witness it. Today the United States navy is a powerful establishment and it is growing at a rapid pace, sooner or later to be the greatest in the world. As a matter of fact, our naval authorities announce that the Atlantic fleet which is soon to assemble for the August maneuvers will be twice as powerful as that which sailed around the world under President Roosevelt's order.

The van in the maneuvers next month will be led by the flagship Connecticut, which has held the same honor in the old fleet for several years, as an independent command not connected with either of the divisions as heretofore. The first division will comprise the five dreadnaughts—Utah, Florida (when they are commissioned on August 1 and September 5, respectively), Delaware and North Dakota—each of 20,000 tons or more displacement—and the Michigan of 16,000 tons. The sixth dreadnaught, South Carolina, and the four 16,000 ton sisters—Louisiana, Kansas, Vermont and New Hampshire—will form the second division. In the third division are the five 15,000 ton sisters—Georgia, Nebraska, New Jersey, Virginia and Rhode Island. The fourth division is made up of the Minnesota, 16,000 tons; the Mississippi and Idaho of 13,000 tons, and the two sisters—Maine and Missouri—of 12,000 tons. The fifth division now comprises the the four armored cruisers—Tennessee, Montana, North Carolina and Washington—sister ships of 14,500 tons each.

The fleet mounts 116 12-inch guns and 16 10-inch guns, as compared with 84 12-inch guns carried by the fleet that made the worldround voyage. Its total displacement is nearly 400,000 tons, and the crews will number more than 20,000 men, exclusive of the officers. All of these ships and a number of others yet to be built will visit San Francisco when the canal is opened, for the plan is to have the fleet assemble at Hampton Roads and at the Atlantic entrance to the canal it will be joined by tne warships representing foreign nations, hence the naval pageant promises to be one of the most striking features of the Panama Exposition.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Nine thousand feet above New York with no gasoline is almost as bad as to be down in it with no money.—Boston Herald.

It has been decided by Omaha debating society that a horse is more desirable than an automobile. Nebraska has more oats than gasoline to sell.—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

The Richmond Times-Dispatch has had to abandon Wilson because of his views being too advanced. Judson Harmon appears to be about to outdo Wilson in porgressiveness. Our Richmond contemporary is going to have to support Taft for another term if this thing keeps up.—Petersburg Index-Appeal.

In North Carolina, it is reported, an organization is being formed, "throughout the State to prevent automobile owners from employing negroes as chauffeurs." That is an organization of a sort that does not deserve encouragement. It is the right of an employer to hire any labor available that he pleases to employ. Whether or not the employer acts wisely in his selection is entirely another matter. If he makes a mistake, then it is his affair, and not that of any organization. If the owner of an automobile is willing to trust his machine, his life and the safety of the women of his family with with a negro chauffeur, then it is nobody else's business.—Savannah News.

The Ten Commandments which Mme. Maeterlinck has issued for the guidance of wives are filled with good sense. How could you beat these recipes for a happy home? Wait on your ausband yourself; get out the proper clothes for him to don each day; smooth over all the rough places; be sweet when he is out of humor; laugh when he is gay; feed before fondling him; don't say anything when you think he is wrong—only look it; don't ask him to walk if he doesn't want to; be a good cook; save his money. This is the meat of the first nine. The last commandment is to not lose sight of the fact that you are his superior in more ways than he is yours, and if you are able to carry out faithfully the first nine you surely will be. Nor will there be any to deny you that distinction, least of all your husband.—Baltimore Sun.

The race from New York to Washington between the elephant and the donkey is a matter of some interest to those who put their faith in signs, omens and politics, though there is no intimation so far that any speed laws will be broken or new records hung up. At last accounts the elephant was suffering with corns, evidences, doubtless, of a touch of gout from being too richly fed, while the donkey, used to hardships and inured to light feeding, ambled merrily though not rapidly along, being about as fresh at halting time at night as he was at starting time in the morning. While we would scorn the intimation that we believe in any such omen as that the winning of this race will in any manner forecast the election of next year, yet the donkey being the smaller animal, the under dog at it were, it cannot be amiss, and should not be misunderstood, to say that we hope it will beat that mountain of loose flesh so far that it will not even get second money, or whatever the race is being run for.—Baltimore Sun.

STORM AT BETSY CITY.

Severe Blow in Pasquotank on Wednesday Afternoon.

Elizabeth City, N. C., July 13.—This city and section was visited by one of the most terrific storms ever known here yesterday afternoon. While no reports of damage to vessels out in the sound have yet reached here, watermen are expecting reports of much costly damage and perhaps some fatalities.

The wind blew at a terrific pace and trees and telegraph poles throughout the city went down. The large smoke-stack at the plant of the Dare Lumber Company was blown down and other damage done.

This city is in darkness tonight, electric lights being put out of commission. Two schooners, the Mary Elizabeth Small and the Ocean Bird in the harbor broke loose and damaged several other vessels.

The United States L. S. steamer Carolina was run into, considerably damaging her rail, mast, etc.

The schooner Tranwood was so damaged and was leaking so badly that she had to be beached. Both loose schooners were badly damaged.

The corn crop throughout this section was probably damaged to a great extent by the wind.

INDIANS WANT RAIN.

Mud Turtles Staked on Edge of the Stream Beyond Water.

Wetumka, Okla., July 13.—Creek Indians in this vicinity are resorting to ancient tribal customs in an attempt to obtain a rainfall. One of their customs, which has been widely followed in the last week, is to stake mud turtles on the edge of a stream just far enough away from the water so that it cannot reach it.

It is the Indians' belief that the turtle, despairing of their attempts to reach the water, invoke the aid of the "Great Spirit" to send rain so that the stream will be raised and brought to them.

Since the turtles were first staked out several rains have fallen. The Indians believe their prayers are being answered, and they are fastening up more turtles to pray for a still greater rainfall.

BROWN PURSUES WOLGAST.

Keenly Persistent About Match With Lightweight Champion.

New York, July 13.—If there is anything in persistency, "Knockout" Brown, the New York lightweight, will surely land a match with Champion Ad Wolgast one of these days. The New York aspirant figures that as there will be a five month intermission between now and the Welsh affair Thanksgiving Day, there is plenty of time for a fight in the intervening period.

To make the bout worth the champion's while, Brown is ready to post a side bet of $10,000, wagering that he can beat Wolgast in a ten-round affair. Meanwhile Brown's $1,000 forfeit will remain posted to await the pleasure of the champion.

DAINTY AND COOL SUMMER WEARS

Some Specials in Muslin Underwear, Ready-to-Wear and Untrimmed Hats, Cool Shirt Waists, Negligee Shirts.

The close of each day sees wide rifts furrowed through the tables of merchandise — which earlier were piled high with tempting drifts of Summery Whiteness.

Ready-to-Wear Hats, formerly sold for $1.50 to $2.50, now at 49c

Remarkable values in Summer Muslin Underwear, Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers and Drawers, at 98c

Men's 50c Negligee Shirts, big assortment neat patterns, all sizes, at 39c

Untrimmed Shapes, big variety, fine straw and chip, best styles; remarkable values, at . . . . . 98c and $1.49

$2.00 Shirt Waists, lace trimmed; well-trimmed, well made; great values $1.48

50c Balbriggan Shirts, Drawers to match, plain and fancy colors, at 39c

Fruit Jars! Fruit Jars! 1 pints, per doz., 49c; 1 quarts, per doz., 69c; 2 quarts, per doz., 89c; extra Rubbers, 5c; extra Jar Caps, per doz., 30c.

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White sheer Linen—nothing better for beach wear or outing suits than these plain, neat Linen Suits; plain white, 36-in. Linen Suiting, only 39c

Irish Linen Suiting, 38-in. wide, only per yard 15c

Black and white Silk Hose $1.50

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THANKS CABLED TO POPE PIUS

Prendergast Appointment Pleases the Philadelphia Laity.

Philadelphia, July 12.—On behalf of the laity and clergy the priests of the Philadelphia archdiocese sent a cablegram today to Pope Pius X thanking the Pontiff for his appointment of Most Rev. Edmund F. Prendergast as Archbishop of Philadelphia and Metropolitan of Pennsylvania to succeed the late P. J. Ryan.

Archbishop Prendergast was the choice of the laity for the office and the cablegram told the Pontiff the pleasure felt by the clergy and the members of the church when they learned that the appointment had been made.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart responds to the charm and sweetness of a baby's voice, because nature intended her for motherhood. But even the loving nature of a mother shrinks from the ordeal because such a time is regarded as a period of suffering and danger. Women who use Mother's Friend are saved much discomfort and suffering, and their systems, being thoroughly prepared by this great remedy, are in a healthy condition to meet the time with the least possible suffering and danger. Mother's Friend is recommended only for the relief and comfort of expectant mothers; it is in no sense a remedy for various ills, but its many years of success, and the thousands of endorsements received from women who have used it are a guarantee of the benefit to be derived from its use. This remedy does not accomplish wonders but simply assists nature to perfect its work. Mother's Friend allays nausea, prevents caking of the breasts, and in every way contributes to strong, healthy motherhood. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers.

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Very low round trip fares are scheduled as follows:

Leave Goldsboro 7:00 A. M. $5.00
Leave Selma, 7:35 A. M. 5.00
Leave Raleigh, 9:00 A. M. 4.75
Leave Durham, 10:10 A. M. 4.75

Tickets will be good returning to leave Asheville on any regular train up to and including Friday, July 28th, 1911. Rates in same proportion from all intermediate stations. Special cars for colored people.

For further information see your Agent or address,

J. O. JONES,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
215 Fayetteville St.,
jl 14-3t. Raleigh, N. C.

LOOK! LOOK!

50 head of good work horses and mules for sale or exchange from now till Saturday, July 15th, at Mills' Stables, 116 North Second street. Those remaining unsold will be sold at auction at Mills' Stable at 2 o'clock Saturday, July 15th, to the highest bidder, rain or shine.

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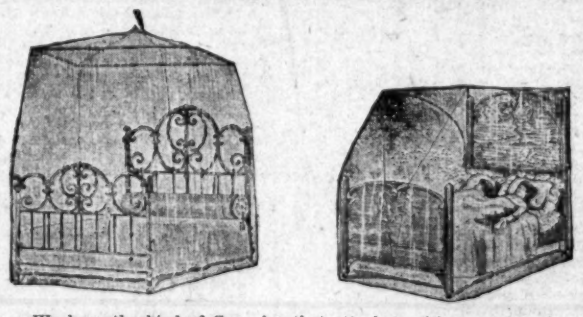

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PETITION FOR AN ELECTION

City Council Will Be Asked to Permit the Voters to Say Whether Cows Shall Be Run Out of the City.

Undaunted by the refusal of the City Council to modify the cow ordinance so as to place it on an equal footing with the ordinance regulating the keeping of horses in the city, and with a feeling of confidence that the people are with them in their fight for what they conceive to be their right, some of those who keep cows for family or neighborhood use, or both, are circulating for signatures petitions asking that certain changes in the law be made, and unless the request is granted by the city officials the idea is to call an election in order that the people themselves may settle the question.

The petitions were put in circulation yesterday and in a short time a large number of signatures were secured. The petitions will be more generally circulated today and it is believed that between 1,000 and 1,500 qualified voters will add their names to the list. Some of the leading business men of the city signed yesterday and only one man approached declined to add his name, it is said, and this was done as a matter of policy, not desiring to take sides as he is not directly concerned. The ordinance does not go into effect until July 25th, giving the owners 11 days in which to work for a change in the measure. Should an election be called the ordinance would be held in abeyance pending the result. Petitions are being circulated by Messrs. Edward C. Craft, W. H. McEachern, O. H. Kennedy, H. L. Fennell and Wm. Niestle.

While it is not set out in the preamble the purpose of the petitioners is to call for an election provided the request as set forth in the petition for a change in the ordinance is not granted. The following is the preamble:

"To the Honorable Council of the City of Wilmington:

"We, the undersigned citizens and legal voters of the City of Wilmington, do hereby respectfully petition and request your honorable body to amend the ordinance recently passed by you in reference to the keeping of cows in the City of Wilmington as follows:

"Provide that all cows may be kept in the City of Wilmington under the same rules and regulations and subject to the same restrictions as horses.

"Provide that all manure piles be screened and all stables and cow lots be kept in a sanitary condition and be inspected at proper intervals by the regular health authorities of the city. Under the present ordinance a large number of people who now keep cows will be prevented from doing so on account of the small dimensons of their lot and exacting restrictions of the cow.

"We believe that if the above provisions are made that the health of this community will not suffer from the keeping of cows in the corporate limits, and the same will provide a source of milk which will be under the direct supervision of the health authorities of the city."

The petition will be presented to the Council at the regular weekly meeting Tuesday afternoon unless Council holds a meeting earlier in which event it is likely that the petition will be presented as it is more than likely that all the names desired will be secured today. The election will be asked under authority of Section 22 of the new charter, as follows:

"No ordinance passed by the Council except when otherwise required by the general laws of the State or by the provisions of this act, except an ordinance for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety, which contains a statement of its urgency and is passed by a two-thirds vote of the Council, shall go into effect before ten days from the time of its final passage, and if during said ten days a petition signed by electors of the city equal in number to at least thirty-five per centum of the entire vote cast for candidates for Mayor at the last preceding general primary election at which a Mayor was nominated, protesting against the passage of such ordinance, be presented to the Council, the said ordinance shall thereupon be suspended from going into operation, and it shall be the duty of the Council to reconsider such ordinance, and if the same is not entirely repealed, the Council shall submit the ordinances, as is provided in subsection 'b' of Section 21 of this Act, to the vote of the electors of the city, either at the general election, or at a special municipal election to be called for that purpose; and such ordinance shall not go into effect or become operative unless a majority of the qualified voters voting on the same shall vote in favor therof. Said petition shall in all respects be in accordance with the provisions of said Section 20 of this Act."

GET CHAIR CAR ON A. & Y.

Will Be Attached to Regular Train Beginning July 16th—Chamber.

The Chamber of Commerce, through its traffic committee and through Mr. W. J. Craig, the passenger traffic manager of the Coast Line, has secured a chair car for the A. & Y. train, which will be operated beginning Sunday, July 16th on Trains 52 and 53, leaving Wilmington at 8:45 A. M. and arriving 8:05 P. M. The announcement of the success of the committee in securing the additional service was made at a meeting of the Executive Committee yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The car will be carried through from Wilmington to Greensbror on this train. This will make traveling on this road splendid and convenient and the action of the Coast Line in the matter was commended by the committee.

The Pullman parlor cars being operated between Wilmington and Norfolk on trains No. 48 and No. 49 will be discontinued with the last car northbound on July 15th, and the last car southbound on July 16th.

The matter of appointing a new secretary to succeed Mr. J. A. McGeachy, resigned, was taken up, but deferred to a later meeting of the committee without action.

WILL CONTEST ORDINANCE

Persons Holding U. S. Whiskey and Malt License Said Not to Fancy Idea of Being Inspected by Police Officers.

Not exactly in accord with the idea that their places should be subject to the inspection of the police officers at any time the blue coats should see fit to enter their establishments, a number of persons holding United States license to sell whiskey or malt are said to have let it be known that they will not abide by the ordinance adopted by the City Council Tuesday afternoon, but, on the other hand, will not tolerate the presence of an officer in their places for the purpose set forth in the measure, resorting to force, if necessary, to eject him from the building.

It is reported that persons holding license have stated, further, that they have been advised by their attorneys, that the ordinance cannot be enforced and that they have a perfect right to protect themselves against an inspection of their place by a police officer. The first section of the ordinance makes it unlawful for a person, firm or corporation to keep for the purpose of illegal sale intoxicating drinks, drugs, etc.; the second section declares such places a nuisance and the third gives the chief of police, or any one acting under his orders, the right to make an inspection of all places holding United States license to sell whiskey or malt. It is said that several persons holding United States license have declared openly that they will not submit to an enforcement of the ordinance, and will resort to force to put an officer out of their place, if necessary, in the event an attempt is made to carry out the provisions of the measure.

The ordinance is not effective until July 22nd. Under the law no ordinance except for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety, is effective before ten days from the time of its final passage, so in offering the ordinance Tuesday the date for it to go into effect, was fixed as the 22nd of July. Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau said at the meeting that he and City Attorney McClammy are satisfied as to the legality of the measure, and anticipate no trouble whatever in carrying out its provisions. Other members of the bar doubt very seriously the legality of the ordinance, and are not positive that the reported attitude of the holders of license is not a safe one. At any rate, it looks as if there will be some lively times when the police begin the enforcement of the ordinance next week.

PREACHER BELIEVES IN KISS.

But Husband of Woman Objects to Her Religion.

Two more of the number of alleged lawbreakers rounded up Tuesday night by Constable Savage and Deputy Sheriff Kelly were given hearings before Justice George Harriss yesterday.

Will Sentee, colored, against whom a peace warrant was preferred by D. Riddick, a colored preacher, who is the originator of the Church of the Holy Saints, a new sect in this city, was dismissed after the evidence in the case was heard. The evidence introduced showed that Sentee's wife is a member of the new church, and that Sentee objected to her belonging to it. His chief reason for this objection was the fact that part of the creed of the church compels the female members to exchange kisses with the preacher. Another reason was that the women were not allowed to do any cooking on Saturday.

In support of his theories of osculatory salutations Riddick recited the 16th verse of the 16th chapter of Romans: "Salute one another with a holy kiss. The churches of Christ salute you." It seems that Sentee had threatened to thrash Riddick if he did not quit kissing his wife. Justice Harriss dismissed the case on the ground that it was a conditional threat and he also advised Sentee to let Riddick pay the woman's bills if she continued to acknowledge the preacher's authority instead of the husband's.

Joe Connor, charged with larceny, was dismissed. The case against Walter Murphy, alias "Cricket", colored, charged with violating the prohibition law, which was to have been heard yesterday, was continued until 9 o'clock this morning on account of the absence of a witness.

HEAVY RAINFALLS.

Needed Showers General Throughout the State—At Wilmington.

Although Wilmington has had but a trace of rainfall for the past 48 hours, reports yesterday indicate that nearly all parts of the State had refreshing showers on Wednesday afternoon and evening, while rain has fallen in all districts of the cotton belt. The rainfall in Texas was quite general and seasonable temperatures prevailed. At Rocky Mount, N. C., there was a heavy downpour Wednesday afternoon and at Fayetteville seasonable showers are reported since Tuesday night. Heavy rainfalls in the cotton belt are reported for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M. yesterday as follows: Goldsboro, 1.24; Lumberton, 1.20; Allendale, S. C., 1.60; Charlotte, .76; Weldon, 86; Newbern, .43; Waynesboro, Ga., 2.10; Clinton, La., 1.00; Columbus, Miss., 1.80; Bainbridge, Ga., 2.10; Gainesville, Fla., 1.20; West Point, G., 2.20; Birmingham, 1.30; Montgomery, 1.60; Houston, 1.30.

First Fire in Over a Month.

The first fire in over a month in Wilmington occurred yesterday afternoon, when the one-story frame dwelling owned and occupied by J. W. Allen, colored, at corner of Ninth and Grace streets, was damaged to the extent of $2 by a spark from a chimney. The department was called out by an alarm from box 35, and its work prevented a more serious loss. This was the first fire since June 7th. Only once before has the department been called out since June 7th, and that was on account of a false alarm. Fires never come single-handed, however, and the firemen are expecting several calls during the next day or two.

LOCATION OF NEW LIGHTSHIP

Maritime Interests of Wilmington Take Matter Up With Senator Overman at Washington—Letter of Vice Chairman

Several days ago when it was learned here that the Light-house Board in Washington had decided to use the new light-ship, the "Knuckle," for purposes other than those for which it was built, and to place it in the present position of the old light-ship on Frying Pan, instead of at a point about eight miles from the "Knuckle," for the benefit of Wilmington commerce as originally intended, a strong protest was sent to Senator Overman, signed by the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, by the Mayor of the city, by the Chamber of Commerce and by Mr. J. A. Taylor, urging that the Senator use every effort to have the original plans carried out.

In reply Senator Overman writes Capt. John W. Harper, vice chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, as follows:

"Washington, D. C.

"Capt. John W. Harper, Vice Chairman, Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, Wilmington N. C.

"Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge receipt of a telegram, jointly signed by yourself as vice chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, by members of your Board and others in regard to the location of the new light-ship for the North Carolina coast. I called at the Light-house Board this morning and insisted that the new light-ship should be placed in the vicinity of the "Knuckle," the point where we all understand it was originally intended to locate the vessel. I was told that the law explicitly says that the new light-ship shall be located at the point where the old ship is now stationed; and the ship now in use would be shifted to some other point on the coast. I had quite a controversy with them in regard to the location of the snip and I will take the matter up next week with Secretary Nagel, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, and if he has no authority to act, I will appeal to the President, and, if necessary, will bring the matter before Congress. You can rest assured I will do everything in my power to have the new light-ship placed where the people of Wilmington want it located and where it will be of most service and aid to navigation.

"With best wishes, I am

"Very truly yours,

"LEE S. OVERMAN."

LOST MONEY RETURNED.

Polish Farmer Recovers $90 Lost on Wednesday on the Road.

Thomas Hiduke, a Pole living on the Castle Haynes road, about eight miles from the city, suffered the misfortune to lose $95, every cent he had, while on his way to the city Wednesday morning, but was transported several degrees beyond the seventh heaven of delight yesterday when $90 of the sum was returned to him.

Hiduk, accompanied by his wife, was on his way to the city to make a payment on his farm. Seventy-five dollars of the money was to go for this purpose and the other $20 was to be expended for groceries and other food supplies for the family and forage for his mule. In some manner he dropped the money out of his pocket. When he made a search for it he failed to find it, but was informed that a package had been picked up at the point where the loss was suposed to have occurred, by some negroes. Hiduke came to the city and communicated with Rev. Father Dennen, who went to Justice Harriss' office and swore out a search warrant on the premises of the negroes. Sheriff S. P. Cowan and Deputy Sheriffs W. H. Cox and A. L. Kelly drove to the home of the negroes in an automobile and made a thorough search of the premises, but failed to find the money. Hiduke's wife wept with pitiful abandon when informed of the result of the search. The sum represented every cent of their savings and the payment upon their farm was due.

Yesterday Justice Harriss received a telephone message from Magistrate Herbert Johnston, who lives near the home of Hiduke, stating that the money, with the exception of $5, had been left in his hands. The money was returned to Hiduke a little later.

FOR CLERK-CARRIER.

Civil Service Examination to Be Held in This City November 1st.

The examination for clerk and carrier will be held at the postoffice in this city on November 1, 1911. Age limit, 18 to 45 years, on the date of examination. Married women will not be admitted to the examination. This prohibition, however, does not apply to women who are divorced or those who are separated from their husbands and support themselves, but they are eligible for appointment only as clerk. Applicants must be physically sound, and male applicants must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height without boots or shoes, and weigh no less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat.

For application blanks and for full information relative to the examination, qualifications, duties, salaries, vacations, promotions, etc., address immediately.

J. D. DOSCHER, Jr.,
Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, Postoffice, Wilmington, N C.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough. I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positvely guaranteed for coughs, colds and all bronichal affections. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy.

MEETING OF THE CREDIT MEN

Supper Followed by Business Session at the Oceanic Hotel This Evening—Several Short Talks to be Made.

Members of the Wilmington Credit Men's Association will enjoy an appetizing supper at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, this evening at 8 o'clock, followed by a business session at which reports will be received from the delegates who attended the convention of the National association at Minneapolis, Minn., a few weeks ago. Practically every member of the association will be in attendance.

Secretary S. R. Keyes yesterday afternoon mailed to each member a card notifying him that the party would leave the city on a special chartered car just ahead of the regular train which leaves the junction at 7:30 o'clock. Members are requested to note the hour of departure of the car, for in the first notice it was given as 7 o'clock. A splendid supper will be prepared for the party and after this has been partaken of to the satisfaction of all President L. B. Rogers will call the assemblage to order for a short business session. There will be five-minute talks from some of the delegates to the National convention and other interesting talks. Wilmington was largely represented at the National convention, there being five from this city as follows: President L. B. Rogers, Secretary S. R. Keyes, Messrs. H. L. Hunt, D. D. Barber and Louis E. Hall. The local association was entitled to only three registered delegates and therefore sent two more than could have a vote in the convention, a fact most favorably commented upon in the Convention Daily, a breezy little sheet gotten out every day during the meeting.

Immediately following the meeting of the Wilmington Credit Men's Association, there will be a meeting of the Bureau of Credits, Incorporated, composed of some of the members of the Credit Men's Association. As the business is along the same lines as the larger organization the members of the asociation will be invited to remain during the meeting and hear something of what has been accomplished during the year by the Bureau of Credits, which has been a great success from the jump with Secretary S. R. Keyes directing its affairs. The auxiliary organization has been of incalculable benefit to its members.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Brown Case Continued Once More. Other Items.

In the Recorder's court yesterday morning the case against Jim Brown, colored, charged with killing John Lane, also colored, was postponed again, this time indefinitely. The reason for this was the absence of one of the State's most important witnesses, due to sickness. This witness is William Collins, colored, and a physician's certificate was presented in court yesterday morning stating that the man was too unwell to be present.

Joe Farrow, colored, received a sentence of three months on the county roads after his better half, in her zealous efforts to procure clemency for the erring husband, admitted that he had pointed a pistol at her. She swore out a warrant against him under a new law removing the charge of assault upon a woman by a man over 18 years of age from the jurisdiction of a magistrate. However, after meditating over the matter, she went to Assistant City Attorney George L. Peschau yesterday and stated that she wished the charge withdrawn. The woman took the stand and after some questioning she admitted that Farrow had pointed a pistol at her. This altered the charge from simple assault to one of assault with a deadly weapon, and the sentence of three months was meted out.

Paul L. Taylor, a negro, was sentenced to three months on the county roads for the larceny of a sack of coal from the yards of the Springer Coal Company. He took an appeal. Judson George, charged with violating the driving ordinance, was let off on the payment of costs. John Williams, white, paid the costs for being drunk.

FALLS FROM BEACH CAR.

Delgado Man Injured Near Golf Links Last Night.

Mr. N. B. Ward, of Delgado, was painfully, if not seriously, injured last night when he fell off a car on the suburban line near the bridge at the grounds of the Cape Fear Golf Club. Just how the accident occurred could not be definitely determined last night, but it was stated at the transportation offices of the Tidewater Power Company that he stepped off a moving car, headed toward the beach. The next car that passed coming to the city brought him to Ninth and Princess streets, and from here he was conveyed to the James Walker Memorial Hospital in the ambulance. It was stated at the hospital that he was severely shaken up, but that it was impossible to ascertain at that time whether there were any internal injuries or not.

At the transportation offices it was stated that the man suffered no broken bones and no cuts, but they were unable to give any information as to whether Mr. Ward stepped off the car purposely or accidentally, or whether he was pushed or jostled off in some manner.

Judgments Were Given.

Argument of counsel was heard yesterday by Justice R. T. Williams, of Leland, Brunswick county, in three of the four civil actions against W. A. Brew, a young white man, formerly in the mercantile business at Navasa. The plaintiffs in the cases heard yesterday are J. W. Brooks, Morris Bear & Bro. and Geo. Penny, while the other case, the one in which Einstein Bros. are plaintiffs, will be heard August 7th. Property of the defendant had been seized by the sheriff of the county to satisfy claims. Judgments for the amount claimed were granted and an order of sale was signed, so the goods will be sold to satisfy the claims, amounting in the aggregate to about $400. John D. Bellamy & Son, Herbert McClammy, Jas. H. Scull and A. J. Marshall Esqs., represent the plaintiffs, while Kellum & Loughlin appear for the defendant.

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MAKES RECORD SWIM.

Mr. Carl Gibbs Swims From One Inlet to the Other.

Establishing a new record for long distance swimming at Wrightsville Beach, Mr. Carl Gibbs, a prominent banker of Chattanooga, Tenn., swam from Masonboro Inlet to Moore's inlet, a distance of something more than three miles, in exactly two hours, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Gibbs made the trip without floating or resting in any way during the time he was in the water and he appeared to be as fresh at the end of the long swim as when he started. As a precautionary measure in case he should become exhausted he was accompanied by a boat. He dived from the boat at Masonboro Inlet promptly at 4:55 and started northward. His swim attracted much attention from the guests of the hotels and from cottagers along the beach, though they did not realize that he was making the longest swim of the kind in the history of the resort.

When Moore's Inlet, at the northern end of the beach was reached, Mr. Gibbs swam through the inlet and made his way into the calmer waters of Banks Channel, where he was picked up by the boat. He crossed the bar at the inlet at 6:55 o'clock, having made the swim in exactly two hours.

So far as is known, Mr. Gibbs' feat is the record for an outside swim at Wrightsville Beach, though he contends that it was by no means an extraordinary swim and that it could be duplicated by any practiced swimmer. However, it is likely that the record will stand for some time.

—Friends of Mr. J. Haughton James will be glad to know that he is rapidly recovering from an attack of fever at his home on Carolina Heights.

Adjudged Bankrupt.

E. Dinos, a Greek, proprietor of the Orton Confectionary, which was opened on North Front street last Fall, was yesterday morning adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by Geo. H. Howell, Esq., referee in bankruptcy. The first meeting of creditors will be held on July 24th. An order was obtained permitting the immediate disposition of ice cream and other perishable stock.

A Peek Into His Pocket

would show the box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve that E. S. Loper, a carpenter, of Marilla, N. Y., always carries. "I have never had a cut, wound, bruise or sore it would not soon heal," he writes. Greatest healer of burns, boils, scalds, chapped hands and lips, fever-sores, skin eruptions, eczema, corns and piles. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Olive Thompson is visiting friends in Fayetteville.

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Mrs. J. E. Ennett and two children, Elsie and Edward, are back in the city after a visit to Monroe.

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Misses Maud and Lottie Frinck left Wednesday afternoon for Mullins, S. C., where they will spend a few days with friends and relatives.

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Mr. Charles J. Mitchell accompanied by his niece, Miss Fannie Starr Mitchell, left yesterday for Seven Springs, where they will spend some time.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League of Fifth Street Methodist church, will be held this evening at 8:15 o'clock. A called meeting of the council will be held 30 minutes earlier, at 7:45. A full attendance at both meetings is desired.

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Mrs. D. B. Caldwell and attractive daughters, Misses Lois and Ada Caldwell, of Knoxville, Tenn., are spending some time at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach. The young ladies are among the most popular visitors to the resort and have been the recipients of many social attentions.

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Mr. John Bonneau, formerly of Mobile, Ala., but more recently of Costa Rico, arrived yesterday morning via New York City to visit his sister, Mrs. Geo. V. Harrell, No. 308 Chesnut street. Mr. Conneau will very likely make Wilmington his home in the future and he will be given a cordial welcome to the city.

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The Sunbeam clas of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church enjoyed a delightful outing in the form of a moonlight excursion up and down the Cape Fear last evening on the steamer Wilmington. A large number of the young people made the trip and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Refreshments in the form of ice cream, cake and candies were served.

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The Girls' Friendly Society of the Church of the Good Shepherd will conduct a moonlight excursion up and down the Cape Fear tonight and it is expected that the pleasurable outing will be largely attended by the young ladies and their friends. The boat will leave the pier at 8 P. M., and will reach the city on the return trip about 11 o'clock. The round trip fare will be 25 cents.

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Yesterday's Atlanta Georgian: "Misses Carrie Lou and Nellie Neal will spend the month of August at Wrightsville Beach and Toxaway.——Mrs. Paul Chandron and her little son have returned from a stay at Wrightsville Beach.——Mr. and Mrs. John Kiser and Master John Kiser, Jr., who have returned home, after spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, will leave Saturday to spend the remainder of the Summer at Mount Airy. Mrs. L. C. Reed will accompany them.——Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black and children have returned home, after spending some time at Wrightsville Beach."

MR. A. H. DICKSEY DEAD.

Passed Away at Early Hour This Morning of Pneumonia—Funeral.

Friends will regret exceedingly to learn of the death of Mr. Andrew H. Dicksey, which occurred at an early hour this morning, after an illness of only 10 days, with pneumonia. Mr. Dicksey was in the 37th year of his age, and is survived by his wife and three children, the oldest five years and the youngest eight months old; also by one brother, Mr. William Dicksey, of this city, and two half brothers, Capt. P. T. Dicksey and Mr. W. G. Dicksey, of Burgaw. Mr. Dicksey was a well known marine engineer, but for several years had been chief engineer of the Almont factory of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., near Wilmington. The funeral will be conducted at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the residence, No. 6 Castle street, and the interment will be in the Horne burying ground in Federal Point township.

AT WORK ON PLANS.

Board of U. S. Engineers in Session Yesterday and Today.

In the offices in the postoffice building the Board of United States Engineers met yesterday for the purpose of Considering plans and specifications for the canalization of the Cape Fear river between Wilmington and Fayetteville. Congress appropriated $615,000 for this purpose last year. This money is to be appropriated from year to year, as needed, and $300,000 is available now.

Two locks and dams will be constructed between this city and Fayetteville, insuring a depth of eight feet of water at the latter city. Sites for the locks and dams have already been purchased. One will be located at East Arcadia and the other at Elizabethtown. Mr. John Krey, assistant local engineer, will be in charge of the work.

The canalization of the river between Wilmington and Fayetteville means untold advantages toward the commercial development of this section and the completion of the work will be anxiously awaited.

Those composing the board are Col. Dan C. Kingman, of Savannah, Ga., senior member; Lieut. Col. W. E. Craighill, of Baltimore; Capt. Earl I. Brown, Galveston, Texas, and Capt. L. H. Rand, now in charge of the Wilmington. The board will conclude its session today.

DIVORCE WITNESS A SUICIDE.

Widow Says Harsh Criticism is Cause of Self-Destruction.

Chicago, July 13.—"I I had arrived an hour sooner, I could have saved his life," sobbed Mrs. Murray Peters, of Camden, Ohio, today in speaking of her husband, who committed suicide in a downtown hotel.

According to Mrs. Peters, her husband, who was a well-to-do merchant in the Ohio town, was hounded to death by gossip because he had twice testified against a friend's wife in a sensational divorce suit. He was severely criticised by his friends and neighbors.

Rather than repeat the story a third time he fled and came to Chicago on July 4th.

LOCAL DOTS.

—There will be a regular meeting of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, United Confederate Veterans, tonight at 8 o'clock.

—Sheriff S. P. Cowan states that a list of all unpaid license taxes will be turned over to the grand jury when it meets Monday, July 24th. These taxes were due June 1st, and all delinquents reported to the grand jury will be indicted.

—The British steamer Cundall, Capt. White, cleared yesterday light for Sapola, Ga., to receive cargo for foreign export and the Spanish steamer Mar Adriatico, Capt. Oldecireguin, cleared light yesterday for Tampa Bay, Fla. Both steamers brought fertilizer material here.

—It is said that mosquitoes are making the lives of the prisoners in the county jail miserable. There are no screens on the windows and the pests have free access to the luckless inhabitants. It is very likely that the county will take some action in the matter looking toward the screening of the windows.

GOES TO ASHEVILLE.

Mr. A. L. Price to be Connected With Large Dry Goods Firm.

Mr. A. L. Price, for the past 17 years with the large dry goods establishment of the C. W. Polvogt Co., in this city, the last eight years as manager of the store and one of the most capable dry goods men in this section of the State, has resingned his position here and on August 1st will go to Asheville, N. C., where he will take a position with the Bon Marche, the leading dry goods firm of the mountain metropolis which is preparing to open ther a four-story department store, one of the largest and most exclusive in the State.

Mr. Price is a native of Wilmington and has spent his entire life in the city. It is safe to say that no young business man in the commercial life of Wilmington is held in higher esteem or enjoys more thoroughly the confidence and respect of the people. He knows the dry goods business from every angle and combines with this knowledge executive ability and artistic taste that is vouchsafed to but few in his line. His determination to leave Wilmington and locate elsewhere is regretted by none more than his present employer, Mr. Carl W. Polvogt, to whom he has been an able second in establishing in Wilmington one of the most up-to-date and most exclusive dry goods stores in North Carolina. Mr. Price leaves the store Saturday for a vacation of two weeks which he will spend with Mrs. Price and little daughter at Hendersonville, N. C., going to Asheville on August 1st to take up his new duties, being joined there later by his family.

Wilmington will give Mr. Price and his excellent family up with extreme reluctance but will wish for them a pleasant location in their new home and a continued successful business career for Mr. Price, who eminently deserves everything good that may come his way.

FUNERAL OF MR. J. A. KING.

Held Yesterday Morning From Grace Methodist Church.

The funeral of Mr. James A. King, whose death occurred Wednesday, after an illness of several week's duration, was held from Grace Methodist church yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. John C. Wooten, pastor of Grace Methodist church, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St Andrew's Presbyterian church. The funeral was attended by many relatives and friends of Mr. King, and at the grave representatives of the Wilmington lodges, I. O. O. F., took charge of the body and conducted the service with the impressive Odd Fellows ritual. Interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. F. Barnes, S. J. Ellis, J. O. Powers, M. F. Parker, W. C. Craft and L. W. Moore.

DATE HAS BEEN SELECTED.

Mid-Summer Athletic Events at Lumina on August 12th.

August 12th has been selected as the date for the mid-Summer athletic events at Lumina, Wrightsville Beach, and Mr. J. B. Huntington, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who has charge, is busy making arrangements for the meet, which is held especially for the athletes who are spending the Summer here, though no one is debarred from entering the contests if he can meet the requirements as to weight, the sole qualification, the limit of which will be the same as in the contests the Fourth of July. It is expected that there will be a large number of athletes entered for the various contests. Medals and prizes will be awarded the winners. The full programme will be announced in a short time.

A C. L. May Enter Raleigh.

The following from yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer will be read with interest: "The Atlantic Coast Line bridge over the Roanoke river at Weldon is nearly completed and it is expected that trains will be run over it by the first of August. It has been well-known for many years that the Atlantic Coast Line has had to use its bridge over the Roanoke river and whenever an attempt has been made to get the Atlantic Coast Line to build into Raleigh the statement has been made that as long as it used the Seaboard's bridge it would never build here. If this statement was official the completion of the Coast Line bridge over the Roanoke river at Weldon may mean that this system will shortly extend its lines into Raleigh. Inasmuch as it is understood to have already built as far as Bunn, which is about twenty-six miles northeast of Raleigh, and as it is now independent of the Seaboard in regard to crossing Roanoke river, it may build into Raleigh at any time."

DIED.

DICKSEY—At 12:15 o'clock this (Friday) morning, July 14th, 1911, at his home, No. 6 Castle street, ANDREW HOWELL DICKSEY, in the 37th year of his age.

Funeral at 3 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon from residence; interment in Horne burying ground, in Federal Point township. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Hon. T. H. Sutton, of Fayetteville, N. C., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Ex-Judge Thos. A. Sutton, of Fayetteville, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday.

—Mr. M. Erpf is out, after an attack of fever, and is being pleasantly greeted by his friends.

—Mr. Frederick Bolles, formerly of this city, is here for a visit to his mother, Mrs. C. P. Bolles.

—Rev. R. W. Townsend, of Raeford, N. C., was here yesterday on his way to Newbern, N. C., where he will spend several days.

—Mr. David Ray, of this city, has accepted a position with the First National Taxi-Typewriter Company, of Greensboro, and has already entered upon his duties.

—Mr. J. E. Brinn, of Hertford, is visiting at the home of his college mate, Mr. B. H. Houston, Jr., on North Third street. Mr. Brinn is a graduate of Trinity College, where both young men were enrolled last year.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were L. E. Steere, Charlotte; F. E. Cook, Greensboro; E. W. Gilliam, Gastonia; H. F. Elliott, Hickory; S. H. Glover, Winston; W. A. Gore, Hamlet; D. J. Lewis, Whiteville; Chas. Brenizer, Charlotte.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were: H. W. Bell, Newbern; O. E. Todd, Loris, S. C.; R. A. Link, Abbeville, S. C.; W. R. McDuffy, Clarkton; Miss Jessie White, Columbia, S. C.; W. S. Rochelle, Hampstead; R. T. Savage, Folkston; Furney King, Kingston; A. Bright, Columbia, S. C.; A. M. Benton and J. W. Griffin, Evergreen; D. M. Evans, Whitville; H. G. Fisher, Philadelphia; Morris Whippler and wife, New York; A. S. Rochelle, Maple Hill; W. W. Rochelle, Scott's Hill.

Conway Was Convicted.

Local officers have received papers containing an account of the trial of Benjamin Conway, a young white man, arrested in Wilmington by Constable Savage and Deputy Sheriff Cox some weeks ago on a warrant from Delaware charging him with offering and promising to pay $10 to Raymond Jones if he would vote the Republican ticket. Conway was found guilty and sentenced to six months in the workhouse in the county in which he was tried and to pay a fine of $500 and costs. He was formerly a bailiff of Bridgeville, Sussex county, Delaware.

SUICIDE A PELLAGRA VICTIM.

Coroner Raps Those Who Attempted to Conceal Facts.

Richmond, Va., July 12.—Efforts to suppress facts in connection with the suicide of Mrs. Virginia Lee Heath, a widow, aged 34 years, caused Coroner Taylor to severely criticise the persons who attempted to keep the matter a secret.

Mrs. Heath, who had been in ill health for several months and was downcast because she was a victim of pellagra, escaped the vigilance of relatives and, going to the cellar, drank carbolic acid. She was found dead. The body had been turned over to the undertaker before the police or the coroner were advised of the death, the attending physician and undertaker agreeing that it would be all right to proceed with the burial.

ABSOLUTE LIFE TO JURY.

Attorney for See Cries "Shame" at Women Attending Trial.

Chicago, July 12.—The trial of Evelyn Arthur See, founder of the Absolute Life Cult, is expected to reach the jury late tomorrow. Counsel for the defense spent the afternoon arguing for acquittal for See and when court adjourned announced that he would speak for an hour tomorrow morning. Prosecutor Burnham will then make final arguments for the State.

See's counsel based his chief plea on the claim that there had been no enticement shown by the State and that Mildred Bridges, with whose abduction See is charged, went to his flat to live with the full permission of her father and mother.

Attorney Cantwell, in closing for the defense, cried, "shame" at women, who, he said, had come to the trial. He did not know the wives of four of the jurors were in the room.

"The women who have come to this trial day after day have come to listen to unclean and unholy things," said Cantwell. "They have heard them. They have filled their low minds with revolting details and so long as this is true they may as well hear more today."

A number of women left the room and Cantwell was informed that four of them were wives of jurors.

FATAL FIGHT ON TRAIN.

Three-Cornered Pistol Duel in South Carolina—Two Wounded.

Charlotte, N. C., July 13—In a three-cornered pistol duel on board a negro excursion train returning tonight about 8:30 o'clock from Columbia, S. C., to Charlotte, John Reeves, colored, of Rock Hill, S. C., was killed, Special Policeman J. A. Eskridge, of Charlotte, was dangerously wounded, and Special Policeman J. T. Wilson, also of this city, was grazed by a bullet from Reeves' revolver. The trouble occurred in the smoking car of the train between Rock Hill and Fort Mill, S. C., when the negro began firing his pistol out of the window. He was ordered by Wilson, who was detailed to preserve order on the train, to surrender his pistol, but instead opened fire, one of his bullets striking Policeman Eskridge, who was standing in the aisle. Wilson says he then pulled his pistol and shot Reeves dead. Eskridge, however, also maintains that he fired the fatal shot.

Eskridge is in a precarious condition in a hospital here.

THOUSAND QUIT WARD LINE

Claim Demands Have Not Been Granted — Details.

New York, July 13.—About 1,000 firemen, stewards and oilers of the Ward Line steamers were called out again today following the rejection of terms offered by the company to its striking employes.

Assistant General Manager W. D. Macy said, however, that negotiations were still in progress and that the company had not abandoned hope of a settlement. He expected that the liner Moro Castle would be able to sail today as scheduled.

The Marine Firemen's Union last night ended in truce declared several days ago, and held out for their original demands—recognition of the union and $30 a month and 75 cents a day "grub money" for the freight steamer firemen.

..Theatrical..

It was a great sermon and a wonderful lesson the Bijou mutely, but graphically, delivered yesterday in a film showing the career of the deadly house fly. Presentation of this film was a large piece of enterprise and the Bijou management has received high commendation upon its push and thoughtfulness. The film will have big and lasting results. It was a remarkable education. Besides this film there were many other delightful and really exceptional features, and the Bijou can well be said to be making good its promise that it would present a series of moving picture surprises this week. However, the week is not over and neither are the surprises, as another big novel bill will be offered Bijou devotees today. It will embrace all that is late and expensive in the motion picture world and a selection of superb musical numbers. Of course, one reason for the constant jam at the Bijou is due to the fact that the theatre is delightfully cool, and well ventilated. In fact, at night it is almost an airdome.

Japanese Dance Tonight.

Indications point to a very large attendance for the Japanese dance at Lumina tonight. These Japanese dances at Lumina in past seasons have been the very prettiest imaginable and tonight's event will be no exception to the rule. Residents of the city, the beach and all visitors are cordially invited. There will be extra car service and every convenience for those who expect to attend.

TERRELL WILL NOT RETURN.

Georgia Senator Would Resign First. Announcement.

Atlanta, Ga., July 13.—Joseph M. Terrell will not return to Washington to serve as United States Senator from Georgia, and a positive announcement to this effect, it is stated tonight, will be issued by Mr. Terrell in the next day or two. Should he find that such action is required by law, it is Mr. Terrell's intention to submit his resignation to Gov. Smith before the end of this week.

Gov. Smith is equally emphatic in his decision that he will not qualify as Georgia's junior senator until December and it is probable that he will decline to accept Senator Terrell's resignation, should he present it, before the adjournment of the present session of the Legislature.

STATUE TO SCOUT LEADER.

Four Survivors of Sheridan's Band Honor Col. H. H. Young.

Providence, R. I., July 13.—In the presence of the four surviving members of the band of scouts who served under General Sheridan during the Civil War, a statue of Col. Henry H. Young, chief of the famous Sheridan's Scouts, was dedicated here this afternoon.

The survivors who participated in the exercises were Archibald H. Rawlond, of Pittsburg; Joseph McCabe, of Beaver Falls, Pa.; Henry Chrisman, of Middleton, W. Va., and Joseph Reilly, of Johnson City, Tenn.

Addresses were delivered by Governor Pothier and other State officials.

Japanese Dance To-Night

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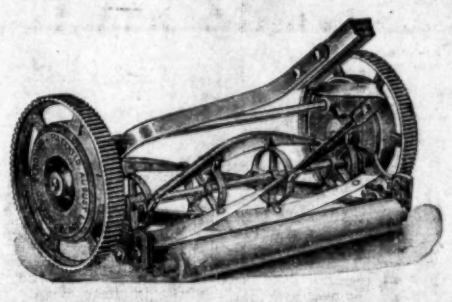

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IRBEGULAR DAY FOR COTTON

Aggressive Selling Restricted by Renewal of Old Crop Bull Support. Talk of Favorable Crop Outlook—Features.

New York, July 13.—The cotton market was nervous and irregular today. Reports of further showers in the Western belt increased confidence in the talk of a very favorable crop outlook, but aggressive selling for short account was restricted by a renewal of old crop bull support, on rumors of a better trade demand and the close was steady at a net advance of five points on July and from two to six points net lower on new crop positions.

The market opened steady, at an advance of 7@8 points on the new months, which were influenced by relatively firm cables, but one to five points lower on the new crop, owing to a renewal of yesterday's selling movement and the reports of further showers in the Western belt. Private cables from Liverpool said that large spot interests were heavy buyers of August there, and it seemed that both trade interests and the old crop bull leaders were buyers of the Summer and early Fall deliveries here. This support was followed by some local covering, notwithstanding the prospects for continued favorable weather in the Southwest, and prices worked up to a net gain of 4 or 5 points on the new crop positions during the middle of the day. The South, however, was a persistent seller here, presumably against prospective crops, outside demand failed to broaden on the bulges and following the publication of the official weather details of the Western belt, which showed light but quiet general showers, the market again eased off, reaching the lowest point of the day in the late trading, when the active new crop months sold about 5 to 6 points under last night's close. Fluctuations in the old crop positions were irregular and July held generally higher, while August sold off to a net decline of 3 points, and closed at the lowest point of the day.

Receipts today, 237 bales, against 1,180 last week and 6,076 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans nil, against 1,153 last year, and at Houston, 96 bales, against 175 last year.

Spot closed quiet; unchanged; middling uplands, 1,425; middling gulf, 1,450; sales, 2,100 bales.

Futures opened steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	14.00	14.07	14.00	14.05
Aug	13.84	13.86	13.75	13.75
Sept	13.05	13.06	12.98	12.95
Oct	12.81	12.81	12.74	12.74
Nov	.....	.....	.....	12.71
Dec	12.77	12.82	12.72	12.72
Jan	12.74	12.80	12.70	12.71
March	12.80	12.85	12.76	12.75
April	12.79	12.79	12.79	.....
May	12.84	12.93	12.84	12.85

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14⅝; net receipts, 223; gross receipts, 223; stock, 7,189; coastwise, 749.

New Orleans—Quiet, 14⅝; gross receipts, 670; sales, 268; stock, 35,920; Great Britain, 400; continent, 3,544.

Mobile—Nominal, 14⅜; stock, 692.

Savannah—Quiet, 14⅜; net receipts, 15; gross receipts, 15; stock, 17,319.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 4,556.

Wilmington—Quiet; stock, 423.

Norfolk—Quiet, 14⅜; stock, 4,307; coastwise, 227.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14½; stock, 1,406.

New York—Quiet, 14.25; gross receipts, 89; sales, 2,100; stock, 103,131; continent, 4,910; coastwise, 420.

Boston—Quiet, 14.25; stock, 8,928.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 14.50; stock, 1,274.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 238; Great Britain, 900; continent, 8,454; stock, 185,145.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 3,572; Great Britain, 5,169; continent, 17,018.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 84,462; Great Britain, 5,169; continent, 17,018.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 84,462; Great Britain, 377; France, 3,257,635; continent, 890,561; Japan, 3,018,757; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14½; net receipts, 96; gross receipts, 96; shipments, 698; sales, 66; stock, 11,151.

Augusta—Quiet, 15¼; net receipts, 11; gross receipts, 11; shipments, 316; sales, 206; stock, 4,608.

Memphis—Steady, 14⅜; net receipts, 28; gross receipts, 628; shipments, 1,590; sales, 300; stock, 30,004.

St. Louis—Dull, 10¾; net receipts, 11; gross receipts, 103; shipments, 214; stock, 6,942.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 50; gross receipts, 50; stock, 18,690.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14½; net receipts, 10; gross receipts, 10; shipments, 135; stock, 4,680.

Louisville—Firm, 14¾.

Total today—Net receipts, 206; gross receipts, 808; shipments, 2,953; sales, 570; stock, 76,075.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 13.—Wheat prices today sank under the weight of immense receipts of the newly harvested grain. Closing figures were at a net decline of 5⅝@⅞ to 1 61¼. The end of the day left corn ⅝ to 7⅛c. under last night; oats, ⅜ lower to ⅛ higher, and provisions strung out from a shade less in cost to a rise of 17½.

Wheat—No. 1, red, 67¼@68; No. 2, red, 87¼@88; No. 2, red, 87@87¾; No. 3, red, 85@86½; No. 2, hard, 87¾@89; No. 3, hard, 86½@87½; No. 1, northern, 93@98; No. 2, spring, 90@97; No. 3, spring, 88@95; velvet chaff, 88@92; durum, 82@92.

Corn—No. 2, 66½; No. 2, white, 65½@67; No. 2, yellow, 66¾@67; No. 3, 65¾@66¾; No. 3, white, 66½@67; No. 3, yellow, 66¼@66⅝; No. 4, 64½@65¼; No. 4, white, 64½@65¼; No. 4, yellow, 65@65¼.

Oats—No. 2, 46; No. 2, white, 48½@49½; No. 3, white, 48@48¼; No. 4, white, 47@47⅜; standard, 48@49.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	88⅞	88¼	88	89¼
Sept	90½	90⅝	89¼	89⅝
Dec	93⅝	93⅝	92¼	92½
May	96¾	97⅛	96¼	96¼
Corn:				
July	64⅞	65½	64⅝	64⅞
Sept	67¼	67⅝	66¼	66⅝
Dec	65¼	65⅝	64½	64⅝
May	67¼	67⅝	66½	66⅝
Oats:				
July	46⅜	47	46¼	46½
Sept	47¼	47½	46⅜	46⅝
Dec	49¼	49¼	48⅜	48⅝
May	51⅜	51⅜	50⅜	51
Mess Pork, per barrel.				
July	15.90	16.00	15.90	15.90
Sept	15.90	16.00	15.90	16.00
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.35	8.35	8.30	8.30
Sept	8.45	8.47½	8.40	8.40
Jan	8.45	8.47½	8.42½	8.42½
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	8.57½	8.60	8.55	8.55
Jan	8.22½	8.25	8.17½	8.17½

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 13.—Money on call, steady, at 2¼@2½ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2¾. Time loans, firmer; sixty days, 2½ per cent; ninety days, 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3½@3¾. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, at a decline, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84@65 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86@4.86@30 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84; bar silver, 53; Mexican dollars, 45. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, steady.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 13.—The cotton goods markets show an easing tendency of very light sales. Buyers are operating unsatisfactorily on spring lines. Dress goods, very quiet.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—21 casks spirits turpentine; 7 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Shallotte—23 casks spirits turpentine; 91 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar.

Total—44 casks spirits turpentine; 98 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Last year—47 casks spirits turpentine; 193 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar; 53 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 13.—Flour was about steady, with a fair inquiry for new winters.

Rye Flour—Easy.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Easy. No. 2, red, new, 92¾ elevator, and 94, f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ¼ to 1c. net lower; July, 93¾; Sept., 94⅝; December, 97½.

Corn—Firm. Export, No. 2, 70¾c., f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed a quarter of a cent lower; September, 71¼c.; December, 71c.

Oats—Firm, standard white, 53c.; No. 4, 52c. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rosin—Quiet.

Turpentine—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady, at a net decline of 2@6 points. Spot, firm; Rio, No. 7, 13½; Santos, No. 4, 14; mild, firm; Cordova, 14@16, nominal.

Butter—Steadier; creamery specials, per pound, 25½.

Cheese—Steady.

Eggs—Irregular.

Potatoes—Steady; new white seconds, 1.50@2.00; culls, 50@100.

Cabbages—Steady. Long Island, 5.00@7.00 per 100.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Weak, under renewed liquidation of August and September, and short selling of new crop months, induced by the government census report, which showed a record production and crush, together with aggressive bear hammering. Shorts were buyers on the break. Volume of business was heavy. Futures closed generally 3@8 points lower. July, 6.08@6.15; August, 6.00@6.10; September, 6.08@6.09; October, 5.86@5.88; November, 5.60@5.62. Prime crude, nominal; do. summer yellow, 6.00@6.20; do. winter yellow, 6.20@6.75; prime summer white, 6.20@6.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 49½ cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.00 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip and $5.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	44
Rosin	98
Tar	20
Crude Turpentine	26

Receipts same day last year, 47 casks turpentine; 193 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar; 53 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 8th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season, Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

Peirsburg Peanut Market.

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Spanish—Farmer stock, firm, $1.27½ bid; $1.30 asked; holdings, small; No. 1, Spanish shelled, 7¼c.; No. 2, Spanish shelled, 5½ to 5¾c.

Virginians—Runch, 4¼ to 4½c.; Fancy Hand Picked, 3¾ to 4c.; Extra Prime, 3½ to 3¾c.; Prime, 3¼ to 3½c.; Machine Picked, 3¼ to 3¾c.; market, firm.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Cotton in Fair Demand; Prices, Nine Points Lower.

Liverpool, July 13.—Closing cotton spot in fair demand; prices 9 points lower; American middling fair, 8.27; good middling, 7.95; middling, 7.73; low middling, 7.53; good ordinary, 7.37; ordinary, 7.02. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 7,000 American. Receipts, 4,000, including 200 American. Futures opened easier and closed irregular. July, 7.47; July-August, 7.42½; August-September, 7.19; September-October, 6.85; October-November, 6.75; November-December, 6.78; December-January, 6.69½; January-February, 6.70; February-March, 6.71; March-April, 6.72.

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STOCKS REACH LOWEST POINT

Trading Unusually Small on the Market—Tone was Fairly Firm—Movement as a Whole on Constructive Side.

New York, July 13.—Trading in stocks fell to almost the lowest point of the year today. Transactions for the entire session were only 115,400 shares, as compared with the year's low point of 106,200 on April 12, when the market was awaiting the Supreme Court decisions in anti-trust cases. The movement of stocks was correspondingly narrow. The tone was fairly firm, however, and the movement on the whole was on the constructive side, even though some of the small advances were in issues whose influence on the market has always been off little weight.

Among the railroad stocks, Northwestern was strongest, with a gain of a point. Interborough-Metropolitan, pfd., led the tractions with an advance of 2 points, while among industrials American Beet Sugar showed nearly as much as a point gain at one time, and Virginia-Carolina Chemical rose a point. The further decline after five points in Texas Oil was ascribed to the serious illness of a prominent operator whose initiative has thus far shaped its destinies. Baltimore and Ohio rose fractionally on the news that the directors had declared the regular semi-annual dividend on the common stock.

Trading in bonds, while relatively more active than stocks, was dull. The market for this class of securities has been falling off gradually during the last month. Disbursement of July interest and dividends failed to quicken the demand which was expected, and it is apparent that the market has suffered from the heavy offerings of a few weeks ago. Institutional buying has fallen to an unusually low point, banks and other institutions having satisfied present requirements. London took little part in this market, trading for that account being estimated at 2,500 shares. The bond market was steady. Total sales, par value, $2,083,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Total sales for the day, 115,400 shares, including Sugar, 100; Chesapeake and Ohio, 900; Louisville and Nashville, 1,300; Norfolk and Western, 300; Reading, 15,800; S. S. S. and Iron, 100; Southern Railway, 1,700; do. pfd., 400; Tennessee Copper, 100; Union Pacific, 8,800; United States Steel, 9,700; Virginia-Carolina Chemical, 4,300.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	28¼
Amalgamated Copper	68⅝
American Agricultural	57½
American Beet Sugar	53½
American Can	11⅜
American Car and Foundry	56
American Cotton Oil	54½
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24½
American Ice Securities	24
American Linseed	10½
American Locomotive	41
American Smelting and Refining	80
American Smelting and Refining, pfd.	107
American Steel Foundries	38½
American Sugar Refining	119½
American Tel and Tel	138⅝
American Tobacco, pfd	94
American Woolen	31¾
Anaconda Mining Co	39
Atchison	102⅝
Atchison, pfd	102¾
Atlantic Coast Line	131
Baltimore and Ohio	109¼
Bethlehem Steel	33
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	83
Canadian Pacific	241⅜
Central Leather	30¼
Central Leather, pfd	100½
Central of New Jersey	280
Chesapeake and Ohio	81⅜
Chicago and Alton	25
Chicago Great Western	22¼
Chicago Great Western, pfd	44½
Chicago and North Western	147½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	126¾
C., C., C. and St. Louis	58
Colorado Fuel and Iron	34⅜
Colorado and Southern	55
Consolidated Gas	145½
Corn Products	14½
Delaware and Hudson	170
Denver and Rio Grande	28
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	57⅜
Distillers' Securities	35⅜
Erie	36¾
Erie, 1st pfd	58¾
Erie, 2nd pfd	47
General Electric	161¼
Great Northern, pfd	134⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	61½
Illinois Central	143½
Interborough-Met	18¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	57½
Inter Harvester	121½
Inter-Marine, pfd	17
International Paper	11¾
international Pump	41
Iowa Central	18
Kansas City Southern	34⅜
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67¾
Laclede Gas	107⅝
Louisville and Nashville	154½
Minneapolis and St. Louis	31½
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	140¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	37
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66
Missouri Pacific	48¾
National Biscuit	136
National Lead	55¼
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	31
New York Central	108⅜
New York, Ontario and Western	45¼
Norfolk and Western	109
North American	73
Northern Pacific	131⅝
Pacific Mail	28
Pennsylvania	124⅝
People's Gas	105⅝
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	95
Pittsburg Coal	20⅛
Pressed Steel Car	35¾
Pullman Palace Car	160
Railway Steel Spring	35½
Reading	160½
Republic Steel	29½
Republic Steel, pfd	93½
Rock Island Co	21⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	64½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	41½
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	69
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	48⅛
Southern Pacific	122¼
Southern Railway	32⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	73
Tennessee Copper	41
Texas and Pacific	28⅝
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	21
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	46½
Union Pacific	187⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	93⅝
United States Realty	73
United States Rubber	41½
United States Steel	79⅜
United States Steel, pfd	118¾
Utah Copper	49⅝
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	56½
Wabash	16
Wabash, pfd	35
Western Maryland	64¾
Westinghouse Electric	75½
Western Union	80½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3½

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, July 14th.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Thursday, July 14th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 91 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inches; for the month, 1.60 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Thursday, 2.0.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local thunder showers Friday and probably Saturday; light, variable winds.

Port Calendar—July 14th.

Sun rises	5:11 A. M.
Sun sets	7:25 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 14 min.
High water at Southport	9:44 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	11:41 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 13, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	raining	88	74	.12
Asheville	raining	86	62	.51
Atlanta	cloudy	86	72	1.44
Augusta	cloudy	78	72	.10
Birmingham	raining	86	70	.46
Boston	clear	90	72	.0
Charleston	cloudy	88	72	.04
Charlotte	cloudy	86	70	.0
Chicago	clear	84	68	.0
Galveston	cloudy	82	80	.04
Jacksonville	cloudy	92	74	.0
Memphis	cloudy	90	72	.0
Mobile	pt cldy	86	74	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	88	70	.02
New Orleans	pt cldy	90	74	.70
New York	clear	86	70	.0
Palestine	cloudy	88	74	.12
Oklahoma	cloudy	86	72	.04
Pittsburg	cloudy	82	64	.0
Raleigh	raining	86	70	.04
Savannah	cloudy	88	72	.36
Shreveport	cloudy	92	74	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	88	68	.0
Washington	cloudy	88	72	.0

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First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake, on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 10 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said brinch north 60 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 12 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 990 feet, to the beginning, containing one hunded (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

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TAFT IS GOING TO BULL RUN.

To Motor Over Route Along Which Union Soldiers Tramped in 1861.

Washington, July 13.—When President Taft goes to Manassas, Va., 25 miles southwest of Washington on July 21, to speak at the joint reunion of the blue and gray armies on the battlefield of Bull Run, he will travel over the same old turnpike that thousands of Union soldiers used 50 years ago.

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THE SENATORIAL CONTROVERSY

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campaign supplement that was circulated so extensively through the newspapers, but was first published, with exactly the same introduction, as a special campaign circular, of which twenty thousand copies were circulated through county, township and precinct Democratic chairmen. It was then run in the News and Observer on October 18th, on first column, first page, with exactly the same heading and introduction, as I find by reference to its files, eleven days before the extensive newspaper supplement was issued. This statement of its extensive circulation, and at different times, will perhaps be sufficient answer to any suggestion of treason or secrecy in connection with it. With this circulation of two hundred thousand copies of it, at different times during the campaign, surely if there had been any treason in it, or betrayal of party faith, somebody would have discovered it.

Quoting again from Mr. Eller's statement:

"After Senator Simmons' vote on the lumber schedule of the Payne-Aldrich bill, Mr. Maxwell published a letter in the newspapers in support of Senator Simmons' position."

Merely to keep history straight, my letter to which Mr. Eller refers was not in support of Senator Simmons, but in support of the position taken by the entire delegation in the House and Senate from North Carolina with the single exception of Congressman Kitchin. It was no more in support of Senator Simmons than of Senator Overman and Congressmen Small, Thomas, Pou, Godwin, Page and Webb, all of whom had taken positions in Congress as I had predicted in the campaign they would do, and refused to single out lumber as the one article to be slaughtered on the altar of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. The fact is that Senator Simmons and myself were barely on speaking terms at that time. In my zealous support of Governor Kitchin for Governor it chanced that I was spokesman for the Kitchin following in the Craven county convention, where Senator Simmons' friends were strong and bending every effort to defeat Kitchin for Governor, and the passages were not at all times courteous. I distinctly remember getting "run over" in an effort to defeat, for tactical reasons, a resolution of endorsement of Senator Simmons. But I felt that in trying to defend this entire group of distinguished Democrats in our delegation in Congress, including Senator Simmons, I was doing my party a service.

The fight on them was at that time, for some reason, dropped. When it came time to pass upon the re-nomination of these Congressmen last year nothing was heard then about their having repudiated the National platform, and they, who had been elected in 1908, when the present National platform was effective, were all of them re-nominated except one of them who was not a candidate, and he came near being re-nominated, although he had pledged himself in writing not to run again and was standing by it. Why is it that these were all re-nominated without protest, and that after they are safely returned to Congress the onslaught is again revived against Senator Simmons, who was in fact elected to the Senate before the present National platform was adopted? Can't a better reason than this be found for defeating Senator Simmons?

Now back to the original point—the News and Observer's persistent insinuation of improper connection between the lumber article and my connection with the lumber business. I have no doubt that that insinuation will go with some people. I am willing to take the responsibilities that come to a grown man and not complain. But to the editor of the News and Observer, of all men, I do deny the right to send out such insinuations, for you, Mr. Daniels, if no one else does, know the exact circumstances under which I gave myself to the work of the party in that campaign. You, doubtless, remember that about the time the campaign began I was too busy to do so unless it was necessary. You remember you wired me then to meet you in Goldsboro, and that I did so; that you told me I was badly needed at State headquarters to take charge of the literary bureau for the campaign. I told you that I could not do so—that in addition to my usual business, I had some special business on hand at that time I could not afford to neglect. You persisted with persuasions too tedious here to enumerate, and finally, as I had also had a message from Chairman Eller just previous to that time, I accepted the call to party service, and for the balance of that campaign gave myself to the cause as unreservedly as a young swain to his first sweetheart. You know and understand all this. Quit your insinuations.

My information is that I have behind me three generations of more or less obscure disciples of Thomas Jefferson, and loyalty to my party has almost amounted to a religious faith. I have to acknowledge that I was so unfortunate as to be at one time interested in a small way in the lumber business, but I worked out of it under conditions practically amounting to bankruptcy, and I have done penance for it until I feel that I can look any North Carolina free wood pulp and print paper newspaper man in the face and claim to be as white as he is.

Yours truly,

A. J. MAXWELL.

Raleigh, 7-13-1911.

Parson's Poem A Gem.

From Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills.

"They're such a health necessity,
In every home these pills should be.
If other kinds you've tried in vain,
USE DR. KING'S
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Chas. T. Nesbitt—Notice.
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C. W. Polvogt Co.—Friday Morning.
Cape Fear Oil Co.—Pale Gas Engine Oil.
Geo. H. Howell—Notice of Bankruptcy.
St. John's Lodge—Emergent Communication.
American National Bank—The Young Business Man.

Business Locals.

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MORE MEXICAN FIGHTING.

Between Federals and Maderoists. Many Were Killed.

Puebla, Mexico, July 13.—Fighting between Federals and Maderoistas, which began last night and lasted until daylight, was resumed this afternoon at Cerro San Juan, close to this city. Today's battle raged for three hours, and is said to have claimed more than 40 in killed and wounded.

A party of Maderoistas who fled from the bull ring last night engaged in a stiff fight with the Federals, cut the Interoceanic Railroad at Fabrica de Matienzo, took possession of a train and proceeded to San Martin, 25 miles to the north, to procure rifles and ammunition with the avowed intention to return and renew the attack.

Last night's fight, according to witnesses, was provoked by three men, one of whom was said to be a son of former Governor Mucio Martinez, who passed the bull ring where the Maderoistas were quartered and fired into the place and into the barracks of the Zaragoza battalion of State troops opposite.

The fire was taken up by both sides, each thinking the other had started trouble. The fight was bloody and among the 40 dead were several women and Federal Lieut. Col. Moises Breton. The affair is laid by the revolutionists to the door of the Cientificos, who it is claimed, had arranged the details in advance and calculated upon the effect of the preliminary shooting. By others, the clash was said to have been provoked by an attack on drunken revolutionists on the penitentiary with the intention of liberating the prisoners.

JOYNER ON NEW BOARD.

Officers of National Educational Association Elected.

San Francisco, Cal., July 13.—Carroll Gardner Pearse, superintendent of schools of Milwaukee, was elected president of the National Educational Association today, to succeed Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, of Chicago.

With rearse were elected all candidates on the insurgent slate.

The insurgents succeeded in tabling until 1912 amendments to the by-laws, submitted by a committee appointed two years ago.

J. Y. Joyner, of Raleigh, N. C., was elected a member of the new board of trustees.

The directors recommended to the executive committee that St. Paul be the next meeting place.

It is customary to follow this recommendation.

Among the directors of the National Educational Association, are:

North Carolina—F. M. Harper, Raleigh; South Carolina—D. B. Johnson, Rock Hill; Virginia—Maurice M. Lynch, Winchester.

ELKS' BEACH SUIT OFFENDS.

Cost $10 Fine at Atlantic City, After Satisfying Asbury Park.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 13.—Arthur G. Matthews, of Brooklyn Lodge, the only one of the thousands of Elk visitors in the city to be arrested, was fined $10 in Police Court for appearing on the beach in a one-piece bathing suit.

"This suit was conventional enough to suit the most exacting students of bathing attire at Brighton Beach and Asbury Park," he protested to Craig, the blue-coated czar of the bathing beach.

"That does not make it sufficient to meet Atlantic City standards," the policeman retorted. Several women had made complaint before Matthews was given the alternative of changing his raiment or going to police headquarters.

EXCURSION TO WILMINGTON.

JULY 31st and AUGUST 1st and 2nd VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Account Reunion of the North Carolina Division of United Confederate Veterans on August 2nd and 3rd, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets to Wilmington from stations in North Carolina at an exceedingly low rate.

Tickets will be on sale July 31st and August 1st and 2nd limited to return to reach original starting points by or before midnight of August 6th, and the rates will be open to the public.

The above excursion presents an exceptional opportunity for a few days' outing at Wilmington, Wrightsville Beach, Carolina Beach and Southport as well as a most enjoyable participation in the elaborate programme arranged for the entertainment of the Confederate veterans.

For further particulars and tickets call on Ticket Agents, or address T. C. White, G. P. A., or W. J. Craig, P. T. M., Wilmington, N. C.

jl 13-tf.

STORM AT ROCKY MOUNT.

Terrific Downpour of Rain and Display of Electricity—Damage.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 13.—Yesterday afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock the most severe electrical storm in 20 years visited this city, accompanied by a heavy downpor of rain. The telegraph, telephone and electric wires were out of commission for several hours and lightning struck in a number of places in the city, including the barn of Mr. P. C. Shore, in the northern part of the city, this being consumed by fire, entailing a loss of $1,000 or more. Three negro laborers had taken shelter in the stables and these were stunned by the lightning and one of the number is in a precarious condition today. The stock and farm implements in the barn were saved. In the same section of the city a woman was knocked down by a bolt of lightning and two children were stunned. The Masonic Temple was struck and some of the ornaments in front melted off, while the awning was set on fire, but this was quickly extinguished by the falling rain. The residence of Mr. J. W. Davenport was struck and the roof considerably damaged but no one was in the house at the time. Other residences struck were those of Mr. Frank Parker and Mr. E. W. Smith, near Nasa and Church streets, but only slight damage was done. A negro in the Happy Hill section lost a cow which was struck during the storm. More than 100 'phones were put out of commission. Two of the lady operators at the switchboard were stunned but not seriously injured. The electric light company suffered the least inconvenience though transformers in all parts of the city were blown out and lights and power cut off. The rain was much needed and was very welcome.

SEIZING DISTILLERIES.

Revenue Officers Unusually Active in the Asheville District.

Asheville, N. C., July 13.—The report of Revenue Agent Sams for the month of June shows that over 40,000 gallons of whiskey were seized during that month. It is evidence that the blockaders are finding it difficult to operate in this district. There were 37 illicit distilleries seized and one registered distillery. The value of the seized property is over $50,000. Twenty-two prosecutions have been recommended. Special tax assessments, including taxes collected from old operators, who have failed to comply with the law, amounted to $2,758.

The number of distilleries seized is not as large as that of the month of May, which is accounted for by the fact that three courts were held in this district in that month and part of the time most of the officers were attending court. The large amount of whiskey is accounted for by the seizure of a registered distillery and 30,000 gallons of whiskey near Clarksville, Va.

Tuesday Mr. Sams received information from Deputy Collectors Hendrix and Shepherd to the effect that they have recently destroyed seven illicit distilleries in Franklin county, Va. Deputy Collector Catron reports the seizure of two illicit distilleries in Dickinson county, Va.

TWENTY PASSENGERS HURT.

Three Sleepers Derailed, One Overturning, on Illinois Central.

St. Louis, July 13.—Three sleeping cars of the Illinois Central's "Dixie Flyer" due to arrive here at 7:20 A. M. today, left the track near Dequoin, Ill., this morning, and one of them, carrying passengers from Jacksonville, Nashville and Chattanooga, was overturned.

Twenty passengers were asleep in their berths in the overturned sleeper, and most of these were bruised, while a few, including some women, were severely injured. They were brought to St. Louis in the coaches not derailed. A broken rail is said to have caused the accident.

The passengers in the other two Pullmans which were derailed, but not overturned, were not injured.

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WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE BILL DEAD.

"Big Tim" Makes Characteristic Speech for It Before Legislature.

Albany, N. Y., July 12.—Advocates of woman suffrage who flocked to the Senate chamber today saw the precious issue go down to final defeat for this session, but they heard a characteristic speech from "Big Tim" sullivan, the Bowery lawmaker, which dispelled some of the gloom that gathered about them.

Senator Sullivan made the most entertaining speech. Said he:

"You fellows on the other side have been asking a lot of foolish questions about how it is going to help women to let them vote. I'll tell you now. I came to this Legislature in 1887 and have been here ever since, except for a few years in Congress.

"Now, in all that time a big buch of men have come to me and said, 'Vote for this bill and vote for that bill,' and when I asked why, they would say, 'We belong to the union of something or the other and we want the bill,' but you can bet I never had a man come to me and say, 'Now here's a bill for the poor sewing girls or here's something to help out the poor women who have to work for their living.' Not on your life."

"When I was a young fellow, down in my district, in the early morning I used to see one woman to 140 men going to work for their living. Nowadays I see 40 women to one man, and I tell you it's time we give the poor working women a square deal."

NEW PHARMACISTS.

Thirty-two Out of Sixty-two Pass the State Board at Morehead.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Morehead City, N. C., July 13.—Of the sixty-two applicants (thirteen colored) standing examination last week, before the State Board of Pharmacy, the following thirty-two were successful:

J. M. Andreson, Greenville; H. R. Browning, Littleton; J. P. Moore, Cary; L. A. Reeves, Chapel Hill; J. A. Spencer, Durham; James Callahan, Red Springs; B. J. Cottle, Wilmington; W. C. Lane, Goldsboro; Cader Rhodes, Jacksonville; F. D. Culpepper, Spring Hope; Sidney G. Etheridge, Elizabeth City; E. W. Barnes, King's Mountain; Lee Davenport, Pactolus; Alpheus Jones, Warrenton; J. C. Hood, Smithfield; Casper Smith, Lumberton; J. S. East, Asheboro; J. C. Shelton, High Point; E. J. Barker, Rowland; C. B. Gallant, Charlotte; B. C. Toms, Rutherfordton; E. P. Crawford, High Point; W. G. Thomas, Jr., Raleigh; G. N. Cox, Lowell; E. W. Smith, Pilot Mountain; E. S. Swindell, Swan Quarter; P. V. Godfrey, Elizabeth City; M. T. Y. McManus, Wake Forest; J. C. Murphy, Hickory; W. E. Horton, Durham.

The colored applicants who passed are: J. R. Frederick, Charlotte; J. W. Hairston, Martinsdale, Va.

FRANCE MOVES AGAINST SPAIN.

Demands Explanation of Alleged Mistreatment of Two Frenchmen.

Paris, July 12.—France has asked the French charge d'affaires at Madrid to request the Spanish government to furnish explanations of the mistreatment of two Frenchmen by Spanish troops at Alcazar, Morocco.

The Frenchmen, who are merchants, were arrested and relieved of their revolvers on the ground that they had violated a decree of the Spanish forces occupying the town, which prohibited the carrying of weapons.

The French press has turned its attention from the Franco-German controversy to the Spanish attitude and declares that France will no longer accept the "provocations" from Spain which were inaugurated by the extension of her military operations in Northern Morocco.

Madrid, July 12.—Spanish advices from Alcazar say that the incident being inquired into was exaggerated by France, whose merchants were not mistreated.

The Imparical makes a violent attack upon France, charging that French agents are trying to provoke a grave conflict at Alcazar.

"France," says the paper, "is trying to charge a mine the explosion of which is apt to be followed by enormous consequences."

BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the sender daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

FOR RENT — The three-story building and premises known as the Bakery, used by W. T. Farris, 109 South Front street. Oldest bakery in city—used as such for over 30 years. Possession given October 1st, 1911. For terms, apply to John D. Bellamy. jy14-3t

STR. CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE will run a moonlight excursion 15 miles up the Cape Fear river Friday night, 14th inst. Will leave her dock at foot Chestnut street, 7:30 o'clock. Fare for round trip, 25c. Capt. Ellis Sherman, Master. jy14-1t*

PEACHES, Peaches, Peaches. Very best peaches of season. Fresh vegetables every day. Ice cold water melons, all kinds of meats. Palace Market Co.; 'phone No. 72. jy14-tf

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SPECIAL — Few more bananas left at 10c. per doz. Fine limes, 75c. per hundred, or 10c. per dozen. Pure Food Market, 'phone 1266. D. M. Davis. jy14-tf

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NOTICE—July 28th, 1911, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash one rubber-tired buggy at my shop, No. 112 S. Second street. J. E. G. Brown. jy13-14t

MOONLIGHT RIDE will be given by the Girls' Friendly Society of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Friday night, July 14th, on the steamer Wilmington. Boat leaves at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and a good time promised to everyone. jy11-14-2t

BANANA SALE—This week, 15c. per dozen; 2 doz., 25c. Extra fancy bananas, this week, 12 1-2c. per dozen. No fake. Come in and see them; they are fine. Palace Market Co., 'Phone No. 72. jy11-tf

JUST ARRIVED—Car load of farm wagons; $32.50. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle st. je30-tf

TO THE PUBLIC—Uncle Charles' pawn shop has moved to 16 S. Front street; look for the yellow building. my31-tf

ARE YOU GOING AWAY? See Uncle Charles for a good suit case or trunk, 16 S. Front st. "Yellow Building." my31-tf

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LISTEN! Everybody. The D. L. T. Capps Plumbing Co. is right on the job, when it comes to plumbing and heating, 130 Market st. 'Phone 1132. je18-tf

FOR SALE—Boiler and tank; 40-H. P. boiler, complete; guaranteed 100 lbs. steam, also one Caldwell 3,000 gallon tank. Will sell cheap. Can make quick delivery. City Laundry Co. my28-tf

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jy12-tf

ST. JOHN'S LODGE No. 1. A. F. & A. M.

Emergent communication this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of conferring the Sublime degree of Master Mason. All members are asked to be present.

Visiting Masons are cordially invited.

By order of the W. M.

A. S. HOLDEN, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The delivery of the outfits for sanitary closets will begin about July 18th. It is the desire of the Health Department to equip all premises as rapidly as possible. That area between Tenth street and the Cape Fear river; Castle street and the A. C. L. R. R., will be equipped first. Citizens owning property within this area are urged to file their applications for these outfits as soon as possible. The applications must state the location of each of the premises to be equipped, the name of present occupant, and owners. These applications will be filled in the order of their receipt and the outfits furnished as rapidly as possible in the same order.

CHAS. T. NESBITT, Supt. Health.

jl 14-tf.

HO! FOR THE BEACH.

The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks will give their annual excursion to Carolina Beach Saturday, July 15th, the Steamer Wilmington will make two trips, 2:30 P. M. and 7:30 P. M., returning leave the Beach at 10 P. M. arrive Wilmington 11:15 P. M. A good time expected and all are invited to join us. Fare 25c round trip.

jl 13-3t.

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American National Bank

Wilmington, N. C.

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The Independent Working Man

Is the one who has laid away something out of his earnings for a rainy day. You can become independent, too, if you will deposit a part of your wages in this bank. It will help you by paying FOUR PER CENT. on your savings.

The Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.

Southern Building -:- *Opposite Postoffice*

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SPECIALS

At FUCHS' Big Sale conducted by M. J. MERRITT

Thursday at 10 A. M. we will sell five yards of the best Apron Gingham for 20c

Thursday, at 5 P. M., we will sell for ten minutes Pebble Huck Towels, worth 10c for 4c

Friday, at 10 A. M., we will sell ladies' and Gents' fast black and tan Hose, worth 10c, for 3c

Saturday, at 10 A. M., we will sell 25 10-yd patterns of best Dress Ginghams, worth $1.50 for 50c

Saturday, at 5 P. M., we will sell 25 pair of Men's Overalls, worth 50c, for 25c

Men's and Boys' Clothing is being shown and sold at the lowest prices ever offered to the people of Wilmington.

Remember, reader, that the entire stock has been re-marked and reduced in price and everything is being sold at a sacrifice.

Don't miss this big sale.

J. W. H. FUCHS

28 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C.

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White Sulphur Springs

In the Shadow of the Blue Ridge.

Come Where Typhoid Fever Is Not Known

COOL NIGHTS, DELIGHTFUL DAYS, MAGNIFICENT WATER, GOOD COMPANY.

Write,

GALLOWAY & GWYN, Props.

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Pure Wheat Middlings

317 Bags Wheat Middlings.
260 Bags Wheat Bran.
161 Bags Rice Meal.
317 Bags No. 2 Mixed Oats.
670 Bags Corn.
417 Bags Meal.
660 Bbls. Timothy Hay.
75 Bbls. Roller King Flour.
850 Bags Roller King Flour.
49 Bbls. New Catch Mullets.

W. B. COOPER

IMPORTER AND JOBBER.

BARGAINS

100 Kegs XX Mullets.
1000 Bales Rice Straw.
250 Bbls. Belle of Wilmington, Fancy Patent Flour.
250 Bbls. Eldred Fancy Patent Flour.
150 Bbls. Violet Half Patent Flour.
400 Bags Rice, All Grades.
50 Cases Mecklenburg Ginger Ale.
25 Crates Lemons.
50 Cases Herring Roe.
500 Bales No. 1 Timothy Hay.
300 Bundles Hoop Iron.
500 Spirit Casks.
10 Bbls. Glue.
5 Bbls. Bungs, All Sizes.

We also have a full stock of cigars, tobacco, cakes, candy and all kinds of canned goods. All orders will be appreciated and given prompt attention.

J. W. BROOKS

WHOLESALE GROCER.

Wilmington, N. C.